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"FIRST IN EVERYTHING."

BANK BANDITS ATTACK SHERIFF, ONE ESCAPES

Two Who Robbed Kinney (Ill.) Vault Dash From the Clinton Jail.

FUGITIVE DESERTS "PAL"

Sheriff Grapples With One of the Prisoners and Floors Him.

FIX LOCK ON CELL DOOR

Posse in Pursuit of Desperadoes Who Held Town at Bay.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CLINTON, Ill., May 17.—When Sheriff C. Hoss entered the Clinton Jail at 10 o'clock last night to lock the prisoners in their cells, George Schroeder and James Powers, charged with dynamiting the vault of the People's Bank at Kenney, Ill., on Feb. 27 last, made a desperate effort to escape. The officer subdued Powers, but Schroeder left his companion to his fate, darted through the open Jail door and gained his liberty. A posse, headed by Deputy Sheriff H. A. Campbell is in pursuit, but has found no trace of the fugitive.

Schroeder and Powers previously had fixed the lock of their cell so it would not be controlled by the lever which locks all the cells simultaneously. The Sheriff had thrown this lever and had turned to depart when the safeblowers made their rush. The officer had no time to draw a weapon. He grappled with Powers as the two men ran toward the Jail door, and floored him. Schroeder made no effort to assist Powers, but continued his flight, through the Sheriff's living apartments to the street.

The fugitive and the prisoner were to have been tried next week on the bank-robbing charge. At their preliminary hearing they pleaded not guilty. Although little is known of the previous record of either man, they were apparently well supplied with funds. Attorneys had been employed for them by outside persons, whose names are not known to the authorities.

Robbers Defied Attack.

The Kenney bank robbery occurred at 2 o'clock on the morning of Feb. 27 and netted the bandits about $6000 in gold and silver. Five masked men were seen at work in the bank vault by guests of the Pythian Hotel, across the street, who had been awakened by the explosion. The robbers noticed the lights in the hotel and walked leisurely into the street, where they stood as if defying attack.

Several guests of the hotel emptied their revolvers at the robbers. They returned the fire with interest, evidently treating the whole affair as a joke. They held all the inhabitants of Kenney at bay for a half hour, then walked slowly toward the railroad tracks and disappeared.

When daylight came the inhabitants took stock. It was found that before blowing the bank vault the robbers had broken into the saloon of Albert Jackson, one of the guests who conducted the hostilities from the hotel window. They had emptied the cash register of $5 in change, taken five quart bottles of whisky, and had built a fire in the stove to melt the tallow which they used in calking the safe to hold the explosive.

Schroder and Powers were arrested on descriptions furnished by several citizens of Kenney, who declared that two strangers had stopped at the Pythian Hotel for a week previous to the robbery. No other alleged member of the gang was captured.

Schroder is about 27 years old. A reward of $100 is offered for his capture.

NEW TERMINAL ROAD.

Company Incorporated With Capital Stock of $110,000.

Articles of incorporation have been filed for a terminal railway company, the St. Louis, Baden & Terminal Railway Co., which is to maintain and operate a railroad from connections with the St. Louis, Keokuk & Northwestern Co. and the St. Louis Merchants' Bridge Terminal Co., running near the Mississippi River.

With spurs running north and south and in and about Baden, the road will have seven miles of tracks. The capital stock, fully paid, is $110,000, 1095 shares of which are held by George J. Kobusch. George A. H. Mills, C. W. Swingley, Henry Luedringhaus, G. C. Diederich and Warner McCall hold one share each.

ROBBERS REAL RUDE.

Tell Victim With Nickel He Is "Cheap Nigger."

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

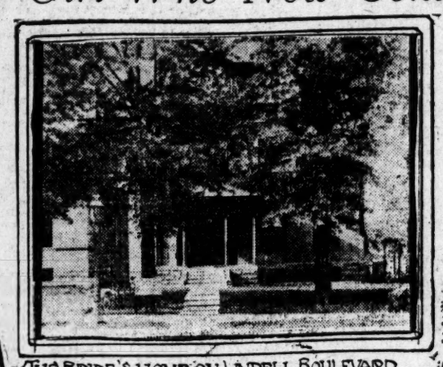
ST. JOSEPH, Mo., May 17.—Strother Sears, a negro laborer living at Third and Poulin streets, reported to the police that he had been robbed of 5 cents early in the morning at Sixth and Powel streets by two negroes.

Sears was going home when the two men stepped in front of him and told him to hold up his hands. He complied and the men rifled his pockets. They found only a lone 5-cent piece and such was their disgust at his paltry sum that they added insult to injury by telling Sears that he was a "cheap nigger."

Scenes and Principals in Romance of Rich Man of Old Family and Typewriter Girl Who Now Contests His Divorce Suit

MRS. ERNEST PEUGNET.

—Photo by Strauss.



THE BRIDE'S HOME ON LINDELL BOULEVARD.

MARRIED TO A RICH MAN

EARNING HER OWN LIVING.

ACTORS COURT THE WIFE.

WIFE SHADOWED

CAPTAIN ERNEST PEUGNET.

BOARDING HOUSE SCENE OF COURTSHIP

WIFE DINES OUT.

CUPID KNOCKED OUT.

TIGERT AND WARD ELECTED BISHOPS

Methodists Choose Kentuckian and Texan at Birmingham General Conference.

McMURRY IN CONTEST

St. Louis Minister Gets 74 Votes on First and 63 on Second Ballot.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 17.—Dr. John T. Tigert of Louisville, Ky., secretary of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, and Dr. Seth Ward of Texas were elected bishops by the conference today. Dr. Tigert was elected on the first and Dr. Ward on the third ballot.

The count of the tellers showed the vote on the first ballot to be: J. J. Tigert, 160; J. C. Kilgo, 100; Seth Ward, 85; Collins, Denny, 84; W. F. McMurry, 74; James Atkins, 70; W. F. Tillett, 58; W. B. Murray, 54, and E. W. Anderson, 24.

HThese were the leaders, with scattering votes for 48 others.

Dr. Togert at once resigned as secretary of the conference and Assistant Secretary A. F. Watkins was elected secretary. There was no election of a bishop on the second ballot.

On the second ballot Rev. W. F. McMurryof St. Louis received 63 votes with Dr. J. C. Kilgore, South Carolina, 100; Rev. Seth Ward, Texas, 96; Rev. Collins Denny, 88, and James Atkins 75.

Rev. Seth Ward, texas, was elected bishop on the third ballot by a vote of 140 out of 271.

The large First Methodist church where the conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, is being held, was packed at the election. Every available standing room was taken up and when the voting began intense interest was displayed on all sides. When the tellers would receive the votes and retire the conference would proceed with the business on the daily calendar. When the tellers would return to the conference and make its report, silence prevailed in the great throng.

WITNESS WAS COATLESS.

United States Marshal Morsey headed off the first shirtwaist man of the season Thursday in the United States District Court and kept him incommunicado in an outer office until lively skirmishing resulted in the finding of a coat in which the man could enter the august presence of the Federal judiciary. The coatless one was J. F. Needham, a farmer of Dent County, Missouri.

Two important land cases were on the docket for Thursday. All witnesses passed muster for appearance in Court until Needham showed up coatless. As soon as Marshal Dorsey learned that Needham's coat was still in Dent County he found a blue serge sack hanging in the office of United States District and Circuit Clerk James R. Gray, and Needham of Dent, clad in the garb of Clerk Gray, was thus enabled to pass the judicial portals with due propriety.

The two cases set for trial were those of W. L. Trusty and J. W. Craven, both of Dent County, indicted by the Federal Grand Jury on a charge of illegal claims for homestead lands under the pension laws. Trusty pleaded not guilty. Craven pleaded guilty, and sentence was deferred indefinitely. Craven was released on his own recognizance, it being understod that the Government will use him as a witness.

The counterfeiting case against Arthur Mennerich was continued until Tuesday.

WEATHER MAN HEARS THUNDER

Still Foresees Storm He Has Been Prophesying.

Thursday started out with prospect of being the warmest day of the season in St. Louis. At 7 a. m. the thermometer registered 72 degrees, the highest temperature recorded at that hour this year. But cooler weather is on the way.

The forecast: Partly cloudy, with possible thundershowers late Thursday night or Friday. Warmer Thursday night, cooler Friday. Southerly winds, shifting to northerly.

High barometer pressure caused general warm weather in the East and South, but in the Northwest it was much colder Thursday.

Snow is faling in Yellowstone Park, and there has been frost in the Northern states east of the Rocky Mountains.

There have been showers and thunderstorms in Michigan, Minnesota and the Dakotas, and in scattered sections of the Northwest.

The chance that there will be rain in St. Louis is only slight.

$1,000,000 GIFT FOR ARTISANS' SCHOOL

Wealthy St. Louisan Has Made Proposition to Contribute This Sum to the Cause of Education—If He Dies Will Provides for the Enterprise.

Former Gov. D. R. Francis said Thursday that it would be impossible for him to give further details at this time regarding the proposal of a St. Louis millionaire to endow a school for artisans in St. Louis.

In his speech before the Missouri Bankers' Convention Gov. Francis told of a conference at his residence at which the capitalist had made a proposition to build the school at a cost of $1,000,000 and to endow it with the same amount for its maintenance. He said that the plan is now under way and that, lest death should intervene, the rich St. St. Louisan has made a will providing for the gift and the endowment and has named trustees to carry out the project.

"Manifestly it would be a breach of confidence for me to make known the name of this generous citizen," said Gov. Francis to a Post-Dispatch reporter. "He is setting a splendid example to other men of large wealth."

"ZACK" BAXTER KILLED BY FALL

The smiling, kindly face of "Uncle Zach" Baxter, conductor of the Missouri Pacific Kirkwood accommodation and close friend of many wealthy St. Louis suburbanites, will never again greet passengers hurrying to and from the city on the train of which he had been in charge for 14 years.

He fell down a flight of steps at the Kirkwood Hotel Wednesday night and his neck was broken.

Zachariah M. Baxter was one of the oldest conductors in the service of the Missouri Pacific. He entered the service of the road in 1871. Fifteen years ago, while conductor on a freight train, he was crippled in an accident near Kirkwood, and since then he had walked with a slight limp.

After this accident he was given what was considered an easy berth as conductor of the accommodation train.

His run made it necessary for him to stay in Kirkwood every night and he had been a guest of the Kirkwood Hotel since it was opened.

Wednesday night he started down the steps from the second floor to the lobby. Recently he had been afflicted with rheumatism and he walked with difficulty. Near the top of the stairway he stumbled and fell headlong to the bottom. He was dead when he was picked up.

Coroner Koch of St. Louis County held an inquest Thursday morning and returned a verdict of accident.

The body was brought to the old conductor's home at 519 South Ewing avenue, St. Louis.

EX-TYPEWRITER GIRL FIGHTS DIVORCE SUIT OF HER RICH HUSBAND

Capt. Ernest Peugnet's Wife Denies His Allegations of Misconduct and Makes Counter Charges Against Him -- Also Says He Was Cruel.

WILL DEFEND SUIT TO THE LAST EXTREMITY

Romance of Pretty Stenographer Who Won Wealthy Man Twice Her Age—Stepson's Tragic Suicide After Father Heard Charge About Him.

Mrs. Alexina Louise Peugnet, one of the most dashing married women of St. Louis, former Boatmen's Bank typewriter girl, whose romance with Capt. Ernest Peugnet of the old St. Louis family of that name, is now in the divorce court, publicly proclaimed her intention to fight the Captain's suit by filing a crossbill in the Circuit Court Thursday.

She denies in every particular the captain's accusations that at various times she violated her marriage vows, and says that it was not she, but her husband, who was forgetful of the promises which were made when she, aged 26, and he, aged 63, were pronounced man and wife at St. George's Episcopal Church March 14, 1901.

Mrs. Peugnet says that she is broken in health and spirit as a result of her husband's treatment of her.

To every charge which her husband has made she replies in kind and besides she says that his cruelty was such that her health was wrecked so that she had to be taken to St. Vincent's Insane Asylum where she remained for many weeks before her reason was restored.

She says that her husband was unfaithful, that he drank to excess and that he called her vile names and struck her in the presence of others.

From the estate of an old man's darling, Mrs. Peugnet has come to the position where she has to fight to defend her honor as a wife. She is 31 years old and her husband is 68.

Family Stands by Her.

After her separation from Capt. Peugnet following an exciting scene at a house on North Leonard avenue, Feb. 7 last, she did not go back to her typewriter. She returned to the home of her parents in Kansas City and is now there surrounded by her family and her friends, who say that she has been basely mistreated and that they will stand by her to the end.

Her attorney, L. C. Dyer of St. Louis, was in conference with her there Tuesday and Wednesday. Together they carefully went over the answer and crossbill which Mr. Dyer filed on his return to St. Louis Thursday.

To a Post-Dispatch representative Mrs. Peugnet said at her Kansas City home:

"My petition speaks for itself. I will be able to show that all of the charges made against me are false and that I am the injured party. My turn will come when the case goes to trial."

"We will fight over every inch of the ground and the husband of my client will surely be confounded by the evidence which we will introduce," said Attorney Dyer.

In her crossbill Mrs. Peugnet says that she was persecuted by her husband's family throughout the five years of her married life.

Children Did Not Like Her.

When Capt. Peugnet took her as a bride to his beautiful home at 3748 Lindell boulevard she found already installed there three children of her husband by a former marriage. All of them were older than Mrs. Peugnet.

It was not long, she says, before she discovered that she, the former typewriter girl, was looked down upon and regarded as an interloper by the members of this proud old family.

Between her and them there was a barrier of caste which nothing could break down. She was made to feel that she was not in the same class with the Peugnets, that the marriage ceremony which made her the wife of their father was merely an empty form, so far as its power to place her on an equality with her husband's family was concerned.

Mrs. Peugnet says that she asked her husband to provide another home for her and that in the presence of his children he abused her, cursed her and called her vile names.

This sort of treatment, she says, was frequent, especially when Capt. Peugnet was intoxicated. She says that he drank heavily all through their married life and that his treatment of her became worse the longer they lived together.

Had Mental Breakdown.

When her husband did not abuse her he neglected her, she says, and treated her with indifference.

At last the eyes of the "old man's darling" were opened, she says in effect. She was an outsider, an intruder living under an aristocrat's roof.

With this realization came a mental breakdown in October, 1902, when she was taken to St. Vincent's Asylum for the Insane.

From there she says her husband, after promising that she would be better treated, took her back to her home. But she again found herself surrounded by the children of the proud old French family and conditions were unchanged.

She says that Capt. Peugnet always sided with his children against her and that he permitted members of his family to make false accusations against her. These charges, she says, were so persistent and of such a nature, that the worry which they caused has permanently impaired her health.

In Capt. Peugnet's amended petition filed May 1 he charges that his wife was unfaithful. This Mrs. Peugnet indignantly denies and says that it was her husband who offended.

She says that he associated with other women and went about with them openly drinking and dining with them in public restaurants and gardens and secretly enjoying their society in private apartments.

Says Husband Flirted.

At every point she offsets the accusations made by her husband with equally grave allegations against him.

One of the strongest charges made by Capt. Peugnet in his petition is that his wife was guilty of indiscretions with a man at Put-in-Bay, O., in the summer of 1906.

Mrs. Peugnet denies this statement and says that it was her husband whose conduct was improper at Put-in-Bay at that time. She says that he went there with an unmarried woman. Mrs. Peugnet also was at Put-in-Bay and she says that despite her presence, her husband flirted with many women and was on terms of improper familiarity with them.

While stopping at a hotel there, she says, she learned that her husband had arranged to enter the room occupied by another woman in the same hotel. She followed him to the room, she alleges, and found him there with a woman.

This, she says, so enraged him that he struck her with a heavy cane, seriously injuring her. Later, she says, he left the hotel with the woman and

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WOMEN JURY SAYS MRS. BELL IS NOT GUILTY

Friends of Defendant in Divorce Suit Disagree With Official Verdict.

LISTENED TO EVIDENCE

For Five Days Case in Marion, Ill., Was Bitterly Fought in Court.

BOTH BLAMED BY JURORS

Prominent Merchant and His Wife Are Found Guilty of Misconduct.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

MARION, Ill., May 17.—Twelve leading society and club women who, for five days and nights sat in the Williamson County Circuit Court here for the purpose of lending their moral support to Mrs. Alice Bell and Shannon Holland, charged by Mrs. Bell's husband, Charles A. Bell, with having associated together, will probably have to do their work over again.

Both sides are dissatisfied because the jury found that both Mr. Bell and Mrs. Bell had been guilty of marital misconduct, and it is the expectation that both sides will ask for a new trial. Little doubt is entertained that the motions will be granted by Judge Duncan if reasonably good grounds are adduced in support of the motions.

Final action on Mr. Bell's suit for divorce and Mrs. Bell's crossbill has not been taken by Judge Duncan. The verdict of the jury, in such a case, under the Illinois law, does not operate to close the case. It remains, in such cases, for the trial Judge to take action in line with the jury's verdict.

In this case, both parties having been found guilty, the Judge will be bound to dismiss both the bill and crossbill unless a new trial is granted. The Judge is deferring dismissal of the suits in the expectation that motions will be made by the attorneys.

Both Sides Dissatisfied.

Judge W. F. Slater, attorney for Mrs. Bell, says that as both sides were dissatisfied with the outcome of the case, both sides would probably ask for a new trial. Attorney Ed M. Spiller, for Mr. Bell said it had not been determined what the next step would be.

The verdict of the jury of society and club women who listened to all the evidence, was at variance with that of the 12 good men and true. They found Mrs. Bell and Mr. Holland not guilty.

"We thought before the trial that Mrs. Bell was innocent," said one of them naively, "and we still think so."

The jury of women, who wore their prettiest spring gowns, sat back of Mrs. Bell throughout the trial. Mrs. Bell and one or two others sat in rocking chairs, which were provided by the chivalric court attendants. The rest occupied the regular Courthouse furniture, a bench against the railing and short, heavyset chairs, scarred by the boots of Williamson County's men.

They were at no time open to the criticism of listlessness. They listened eagerly to all the testimony. If it was favorable to Mrs. Bell, there was a flutter of approval. If it was favorable to Mr. Bell, they manifested incredulity. If it was very unfavorable to Mr. Bell, they did not conceal their disdain. Two or three times an incipient demonstration was headed off by Judge Duncan.

The bailiff was so unfortunate as to fall under the displeasure of the jury of women. He wanted to hear, too, and considered that his office gave him the right to pick out a good place without regard to the feelings of the unofficial spectators, but every time he got between the women and the witness stand he was politely, but firmly, requested to move.

Jury Composition Varied.

The composition of the jury varied somewhat, due to domestic demands that could not be ignored, but throughout the trial there were never less than the statutory number of 12 women jurors and sometimes there were as many as 15. Those who were most constant and conscientious were Mrs. A. F. White, Mrs. George H. Goodell, Mrs. H. N. Boles, Mrs. N. G. Reid, Mrs. Phillip Rick, Mrs. Noah Payne, Mrs. Bessie Hay, Mrs. W. G. Cochran, Mrs. Lizzie Gullege, Mrs. Mary Hearn and Mrs. O. H. Burnett.

Those who sat with Mrs. Bell were not the only society women in the courtroom. There were many others, sitting back of the rail.

Those who came to exert their moral support were there at the beginning of the trial and there at its close. Their presence appears to have been spontaneous. The lawyers for Mrs. Bell say they had nothing to do with it.

The manner in which the leading women of the city rallied to the support and encouragement of Mrs. Bell was the surprise of the trial. Although there had been nothing to indicate what they thought about her guilt or innocence, it was supposed that they would do as women generally do, give their sister the worst of their judgment. For another thing, Mrs. Bell had never been one of them, in a society and club sense.

When the Bells moved to Marion from Herrin six or seven years ago and Mr. Bell opened a clothing store in a building owned by Shannon Holland in the corner of the public square and went to housekeeping above the postoffice near by, the leading women called on Mrs. Bell, and she treated them with all due civility, but with reserve, and, somehow, they came away with the impression that Mrs. Bell did not care to be taken up by them.

As time passed the intuition of the women was vindicated. Mrs. Bell did not go in for society and did not join any of the clubs. She was a business woman rather than a society woman. She seemed to find her greatest pleasure in assisting her husband at the store.

She came to be on terms of easy acquaintance with the women or Marion, but there was no marked cordiality toward any of them on her part.

There never seems to have been any suspicion against her up to the time that she and her husband separated in February and he filed suit for divorce, in which Shannon Holland was named. The suit caused a sensation.

Holland Richest Citizen.

Shannon Holland was in a sense the leading citizen of Marion, as he was its richest man. He had made a fortune in business, owned town and country property and was president of the First National Bank. For three or four years after Mr. Bell rented a storeroom from him, Holland and his wife lived in apartments over the Bell store and another store on the public square. Holland had a way of looking after the heating of the building and was often down in the store.

Holland and Bell became very good friends. So far as any body had ever noticed, the relations between Holland and Mrs. Bell were extremely conventional. She seemed to maintain toward him the attitude of semi-reserve which she maintained toward everybody. He was a conservative, self-contained man of affairs, 56 years old, a dozen years older than Mrs. Bell.

More sympathy was expressed for Mrs. Holland than for Mrs. Bell. The banker's wife occupied a position among the women of Marion in keeping with that occupied by her husband among the men. She was a leader in everything the women of Marion undertook. an attractive, intellectual and forceful woman. She let it be known at once that her confidence in her husband was complete. The women talked to their husbands and found that they were inclined to stand by Holland. That was the beginning of the sentiment which resulted in the presence of the jury of women at the trial.

Mrs. Bell came to share in the sympathy felt for Mrs. Holland and the confidence reposed in Mr. Holland. Mr. Holland was tried over the teacups and found not guilty. If he was not guilty, Mrs. Bell wasn't, of course. And when somebody suggested that they go to the trial and show forth to the world what they thought about it, the women of Marion were ripe for it.

After they had listened five days and five nights to testimony strong enough to convince 12 men that both Mr. Bell and Mrs. Bell had offended, the convictions they had formed before they heard any evidence were unshaken.

Son Watched the House.

Mr. Bell, Delbert Bell, oldest son of the couple, and Amanda Cole gave the strongest evidence against Mrs. Bell. Mr. Bell testified that he had seen Holland leaving the Bell home on East Main street. Delbert told of having watched the house at his father's direction. He said he saw a man leave the house. Following the man, he claimed to have recognized him as Shannon Holland.

Mrs. Cole swore that both Mrs. Bell and Holland had come to her house.

Mrs. Bell told of outbreaks of her husband's jealous suspicion, for which she declared there was no excuse. She described a dramatic scene, which occurred in October. Her husband had gone to Carbondale, saying he would be gone all night. He returned late at night, and, on entering the house, called his wife downstairs. Pointing two revolvers at her breast, he demanded that she sign a paper acknowledging that she had not been faithful to him and naming Shannon Holland.

"I am innocent. I will not sign. Kill me if you will," Mrs. Bell testified that she said.

He wavered and she ran from the house in her night clothes and sought shelter at the home of a neighbor.

Lloyd Bell, the 16-year-old son of the couple, who has been loyal to his mother, testified to the incident also.

Shannan Holland was a witness. In slow, measured terms, he unequivocally denied that there had ever been anything improper between himself and Mrs. Bell.

Mrs. Bell Wept Once.

Mrs. Bell sat in a rocking chair close to her attorneys throughout the trial. She had been under a nervous strain and it was feared that she would break down, but she stood the ordeal very well and made an excellent witness for herself. The only time she gave way to her emotions was when her 18-year-old son, Delbert, was testifying against her. She broke down and wept then.

Two women testified to improper conduct on the part of Bell. One was Mrs. Fannie Hester of Marion, who said that she had called at the Bell store. The other was Mattie Smith, a negress, formerly employed as a servant at the Bell home.

Mrs. Bell, since her separation from her husband, has been living at the West Side Hotel. She declined Wednesday afternoon to be seen. Mr. Bell, seen at his store, smiled deprecatingly when the case was mentioned and declined to discuss it. He is a smooth-faced man of 43, with the affable habit which comes from business training. Mr. Holland was not at the bank. It was said there he had gone to his farm.

Marion citizens are not agreed as to whether Mrs. Bell is attractive. They are agreed that she is not particularly beautiful, but some say there is something attractive about her in spite of that. She is 44 years old, slightly above average height and with a figure none too rounded. She has blue eyes and brown hair and dresses fashionably and tastefully. Her manner is reserved and her tones modulated and she has a good command of language.

A Boston Phonograph.

From the Cleveland Leader.

"Look at that Boston girl at the phonograph—she is actually smiling?"

"Yes, she is listening to Prof. Beacom's delightful dissertation on the 'Fungous Diseases That Attack the Larvae of the Brown Tail Moth.'"

To Get Away From It.

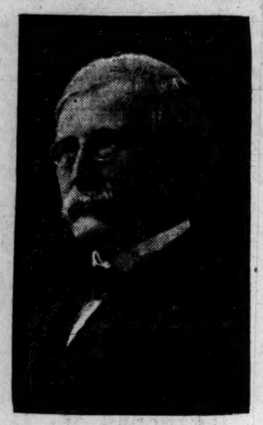
"Pardon me, but I understand you said my face would stop a street car."

"You're wrong. I never said anything of the kind."

"Then what did you say?"

"I said your face would double the speed of any street car."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

BOGGS READY FOR EAST SIDE CAMPAIGN.



JUDGE CARROLL C. BOGGS.

Judge Carroll C. Boggs of Fairfield, Ill., who is a candidate for re-election as Judge of the Illinois Supreme Court, will visit East St. Louis next week to open his St. Clair County campaign. The judicial election will be held June 4.

Judge Boggs is 63 years old, and has been one of the Illinois Supreme judges for nine years. Before that time he spent six years on the appellate bench, following six years' service as Circuit Judge in Wayne County. During the last three years of his term as Circuit Judge he was an Associate Judge of the Appellate Court. Before this he was County Judge of Wayne County four years, and State Attorney four years.

The Judge has always maintained that the election of judges should be separated from politics. He will be assisted in his local campaign by business men and lawyers.

EX-TYPEWRITER GIRL CONTESTS DIVORCE SUIT

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came to St. Louis, leaving his wife there alone.

Mrs. Peugnet says that her husband has circulated the most humiliating, scandalous and degrading statements about her and has employed private detectives to spy upon her movements.

Says Husband Ordered Her Away.

In telling what happened on Feb. 7 last, the day of the final separation, she does not mention the Leonard avenue house. She says that Capt. Peugnet reviled and cursed her in the presence of strangers and ordered her to leave his home forever. Since then, she says, he has refused to permit her to return to him.

So that she may not get her share of his estate, she says, he is now making an effort to dispose of his property by giving it to his children. She estimates the value of the property to be $150,000.

She asks for an absolute divorce and judgment for a sufficient amount for her support. She desires that the Court shall order Capt. Peugnet to put up security for whatever amount may be allowed to her for maintenance.

Peugnet of Proud Family.

Captain Peugnet is a Frenchman of the old school with the bluest of blue St. Louis blood in his veins, proud of his ancestry, reserved and aloof with strangers, yet withal hot-blooded and quick to resent an affront.

That he will fight his divorce case few of his friends doubt.

The woman from whom he seeks a legal separation is his second wife. At the age of 31 she retains much of the charm which made her irresistible to many prominent St. Louisans in the days of her early youth.

She first dawned on St. Louis in 1895 when, as Alexina Louise Greenleaf, she came from Kansas City and found employment as a stenographer at the Boatmen's Bank.

Her services were highly prized by Williiam R. Thomson, cashier of the bank, and for a time she was received by the wife and daughters of Mr. Thomson at their home on terms of equality.

The young woman came in contact with many rich men who visited the bank, and she had no difficulty in attracting to herself powerful friends.

Peugnet Quickly Won.

In this way her social connections came to be different from those of many young women in her station in life.

In the winter of 1900 Alexina Louise, stenographer, engaged apartments at the West End Hotel, she bearded the lion of aristocracy in its den and won a fortune.

Captain Peugnet, a wealthy widower, lived there. A friend, one of her good and powerful friends, introduced her to the rich insurance man.

One night he took her down to dinner, the next night to the theater and soon quick eyes about the hotel noticed that Peugnet had been selected as the pretty stenographer's steady escort.

It was a short courtship.

The formal announcement of the engagement was made by Peugnet Feb. 25, 1901, and the wedding was celebrated at St. George's Episcopal Church, March 14, 1901, Rev. Dr. R. A. Holland officiating. Many prominent and wealthy St. Louisans were present. It was planned for Father Kielty of Holy Angels' Church to perform the ceremony, but the bride was not a Catholic and she would not sign the required ante-nuptial agreement pledging the indissolubility of the marriage.

For a time they lived at the hotel, then for a short season they boarded near Grand avenue and Olive streets.

And after that?

Well, Alexina Louise came into her own as the mistress of the Lindell boulevard home, a pretty house, which her husband bought and fitted up for her at the expense of a fair-sized fortune. Alexina Louise was on top now. She would do things right. First of all she must entertain.

That was where the trouble commenced. In her stenographer days Alexina Louise had learned to look at the world through Bohemian glasses.

A theatrical man had been one of her good friends. He had often taken her behind the scenes where she met many members of the "profession."

Actresses at Her Home.

Now that she was in the social swim she remembered what she had read of the triumphs of social leaders at Newport and other nice places who had scored success through the use of stage talent to amuse their friends.

That is how it came about that Captain Peugnet, when entering his Lindell boulevard home at any time was apt to stub his toe against a "famous monologue artist" or a "little dancing sunbeam" from the vaudeville.

"Who are these persons?" he would ask.

"O," replied Alexina Louise pertly, "they are some of the talent for my entertainment tonight."

In vain Peugnet would protest that he didn't want the house all cluttered up with actors and things.

But Alexina Louise had been accustomed to have her own way and she continued to entertain her playhouse friends. Her husband says that her eccentricity went even further and that she was so careless of the conventionalities that she openly visited a very wealthy man at his apartments on Maryland avenue. There, the husband says, she dined, and on more than one occasion remained at the house from 7 p. m. until 11 p. m.

When Peugnet learned of these visits he became suspicious. It is said that through friends he learned of her close relations not only with the capitalist on Maryland avenue, but with a banker, a young manufacturer and two theatrical men.

Say Marriage Was a Plot.

Some friends of Peugnet say that before his investigation had proceeded far he was told that his marriage to Alexina Louise was the result of a deliberate plot.

The plot, it was said, began in the form of a proposition to Alexina Louise that if she would cease to worry certain of her influential friends they would see that she captured a rich husband.

In pursuance of this plot, Peugnet's friends say, she was installed at the West End Hotel.

After hearing these reports the husband quietly went to work to obtain evidence which would establish any statements he might make in a petition for a divorce.

He learned, he says, that during three years following their marriage she associated with men, that she visited improper houses and that she dined with men in their private rooms, in some cases remaining there for hours.

Private detectives took a part in the investigation. They reported to Peugnet that in the summer of 1905 Alexina Louise went to Put-In-Bay, O., with her Maryland avenue friend, and that while there she traveled with him on side trips to various resorts, was away from her hotel with him at night frequently and was guilty of "great and improper familiarity" with him.

After her return from Put-In-Bay last fall Alexina Louise, her husband says, went to Boston and stayed there at a hotel with one of her influential friends, a prominent business man.

She came back to St. Louis. Though a close watch was being kept upon her she was not more cautious than she had ever been. Three times within a short period, Peugnet alleges, she visited her Maryland avenue friend at his home.

Accuses Her Stepson.

The last time Peugnet was waiting for her when she returned. There was a quarrel in which Alexina Louise, desperate and with her back against the wall, said something that brought the affairs of the Peugnet family to a tragic climax.

She told her husband that among the "friends" with whom her relations had been close was his own son, Ernest Jr.

The husband staggered as from a blow. He could not believe what he had heard, but he began an investigation of the charge. A few days later the wife of Ernest Peugnet Jr. left her home at Carthage and went to Texas. A week after that Ernest Peugnet Jr. went into the bathroom at the home of his father-in-law at Carthage and shot himself, dying almost instantly.

It was said at the time that the domestic life of Ernest Peugnet Jr. and his wife had not been happy for some time and that he had been drinking heavily at Joplin for several days before he killed himself.

Louis Peugnet, after his brother's death, came to St. Louis from Nicaragua and aided his father in gathering evidence against Alexina Louise.

Peugnet's friends says that the avenging brother on the night of Jan. 16 caused the woman to be followed from a theater which she left in company with a famous minstrel, that she was tracked to a house, and that later he saw her leave Union Station for Chicago with the minstrel.

The husband says that he attempted to commounicate with her while she was in Chicago, but that she gave him a wrong address. He alleges that while there she dined and drank with men in places of public resort.

Alexina Louise returned to St. Louis, but she did not go to the Lindell boulevard home. On the night of Feb. 7 last Louis Peugnet and a private detective went to the husband.

"Come, we will show you," they said.

They took him to a house on Leonard avenue. There, the husband says, he found Alexina Louise the center of a crowd of merrymakers. He confronted her and begged her to return home with him. She scorned his appeal and told him she would remain where she was.

One of the influential friends of her old days is said to have stood at her elbow when she threw defiance at her husband. That was the last straw. Twelve days later Peugnet filed his suit for divorce.

His first petition merely alleged that she had rendered his life intolerable by associating with persons of objectionable character.

Alexina Louise asked for alimony and was allowed $50 a month, but she has asked that this be increased to $300 a month.

On May 1 Peugnet filed an amended petition, in which, without naming men or places, he sets forth the dates on which he says his wife was indiscreet.

He alleges also that since the filing of the suit she has circulated the statements which she had previously made regarding her relations with his son, Ernest Jr.

Immediately after the incident of the night of Feb. 7, the doors of the Lindell boulevard home were closed to Alexina Louise. It is said that she telephoned to her husband several times asking a chance to explain, but that she was notified that her effects had been sent to the home of her parents in Kansas City.

Capt. Peugnet is said to have written a new will and to have gone to Cuba with his son, remaining there nearly two months.

Yardmaster Is Beaten.

Lee Kensinger of 2203 Park avenue, yardmaster for the Missouri Pacific, has two black eyes and is suffering from numerous bruises as a result of an attack made on him on Armstrong avenue, near Chouteau avenue, late Wednesday night. He was walking along the street when he heard someone call his name. As he turned, he says, he was attacked and knocked down and severely beaten. He says he recognized his assailant as a switchman whom he discharged some time ago.

FIFTY DAYS FOR KICKING NEWSBOY

United Railways Conductor Scored by Judge Moore for Brutality.

WORKHOUSE TERM LESSON

Conductor Said Boy's Feet Were Muddy and He Pushed Him Off.

W. O. Lively, a conductor on a Broadway street car, was sentenced to 50 days in the Workhouse Wednesday for kicking Henry Tiefenbrunn, a newsboy, off his car. Judge Moore of the Court of Criminal Correction made the sentence the occasion of a severe denunciation of what he termed the "unpardonable brutality of some street railway employes."

Lively pleaded guilty to the charge against him and threw himself on the mercy of the Court. An attorney for the United Railways Co. urged in pleading for leniency that the man had a family.

"That makes his offense all the more inexcusable," said Judge Moore sternly. "If he has children of his own he surely ought to know how to treat the children of others. What would he have said if someone had kicked his boy off a car?

"It would have been much more manly if this man had fired a loaded revolver at the boy. It would have been less cowardly. Some day the parents of one of these newsboys who are being mistreated will take revenge for the unpardonable brutality of some street railway employes into their own hands. Some day a father will kill the conductor who has assaulted his son, and then it will be the Morgue for the conductor.

"I sentence the defendant to 50 days at hard labor."

Lesson for Conductors.

"Won't the court make that a fine?" asked the attorney for the Transit company.

"No, I will not. That sentence stands. I want to teach a lesson to these cruel conductors."

Henry lives at 1514 South Seventh street and is 14 years old. He boarded the car at Broadway and Marion street, walked through the car and then returned to the rear platform.

Lively ordered the boy to leave the car. The boy said he was afraid to jump because the car was going too fast, but that he would get off at the next corner. Then, he testified, Lively kicked him off. He was cut and bruised in the fall.

Lively, in making his statement, said the boy's feet were muddy and were getting the car dirty. When the boy refused to get off, he said, he "pushed him off" with his foot. Pleasant P. Mason, special attorney for the State in the case, smiled at this revelation of a new method of pushing, and spectators laughed.

Lively lives at 5449 Hall's Ferry road. He has been employed by the United Railways 20 months.

Bank Teller Marries.

Paul G. Palmer, teller of the National Bank of Commerce, and Miss Emily L. Goodenough, daughter of Mrs. K. S. Goodenough of Loveland, O., were married at the home of the bride Wednesday. Mr. Palmer and his bride will come to St. Louis after a tour through the South.

State Telephone Ownership.

STOCKHOLM, May 16.—The Swedish Government has proposed to Parliament that the State should purchase the privately owned telephone system of Stockholm for $4,444,450.

Building Lost in St. Louis

Ivan Whin implores your aid in finding a building which a Pittsburg millionaire glass manufacturer lost in St. Louis.

The Post-Dispatch offers a prize to the bright person who will aid Mr. Whin in finding this building.

Look for

The Secrets of

Romano

In the Post-Dispatch

Next Monday

Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney

OLIVE — BROADWAY — LOCUST

Sale of White Goods

Remnants

REMNANTS from every nook and cranny of the white goods stock, of every cloth, for every purpose, in every length from 2½ to 12 yards.

Vigorous clearing of hundreds of remnants at half original selling prices.

Remnants of fancy Lace Lawns, Figured Lawns and fancy striped Persian Lawns, in lengths from 2½ to 12 yds.; regular 20c, 25c and 30c goods, at the rate, per yard, of **10c, 12½c and 15c**

Remnants of Fancy Madras, slightly mussed, sold at 30c and 40c, at **15c and 20c**

Remnants of Fancy Striped Voiles and French Batistes, yarn mercerized; sold at 35c; at the rate, per yard, of **18c**

Undermuslins

For Women

THE least expensive garment in our assortment (as well as the most costly) is creditable to our standard of quality.

Drawers of good cambric with cluster of tucks and neat embroidery ruffle **50c**

Drawers of cambric with flounce and firmly hemstitched tucks in and above ruffle **50c**

Corset Covers, full French styles, nainsook with neat embroidery edge drawn with ribbon; also nainsook with torchon lace and insertion drawn with ribbon **50c**

Chemises—nainsook with double row of dainty Val. insertions and lace; ribbon beadings and trimmed skirt; also nainsook with torchon lace similarly made, at **$1.00**

Night Gowns—nainsook, slipover style, with Val. insertion and lace front and back **$1.00**

Night Gowns—cambric with yoke of tucks and embroidery or longcloth, bishop style, with embroidery in neck and sleeves, at **$1.00**

Petticoats—cambric with umbrella flounce of tucks and embroidery and other styles with hemstitched tucks **$1.50**

Corset Covers

Black Lawn

Full French style, made of good quality black lawn, neatly trimmed with black Val. lace around low, round neck and arm eyes, at **50c**

Vest Chemises

Nainsook

WORN in place of the ribbed vest. Popular because of being so light and pleasing to wear. Less bulky than the ribbed garment and far more sightly. Fitted French back, **85c, $1.00 and $1.50**

Soft Nainsook with neat embroidery edge drawn with ribbon **85c**

Sheer Nainsook with dainty Val. lace and embroidery beading, drawn with ribbon **$1.00**

Sheer Nainsook with fisheye Val. lace and insertion, ribbon and beading **$1.50**

Gingham Petticoats

One Dollar

IN plain, medium or dark blue gingham or black and white striped percale, made with full umbrella flounce, finished with neat scallop.

Corsets at $1.98

Formerly $8.00, $10.00 and $12.00

MADE of fine imported fabrics and boned with the best bone.

Broken styles and slight soil account for the reductions.

Silk Petticoats,

Five Dollars

BLACK Taffeta in three different styles. All have full flared flounces, some of plaiting, shirring and ruffles with either silk or percaline underlay.

IT is generally recognized that when this house advertises a concession in price, a real bargain is offered.

We carry only dependable merchandise of acknowledged merit and value, on which any reduction in price constitutes a real price concession.

Our bargains are the result of a daily supervision of stock and continual revision of prices.

The concessions advertised today will strengthen the conviction that great economies in buying can be had at Vandervoort's.

Beautiful White Waists

Unusual Values

MANY at moderate cost, very daintily effective. Unusual individuality of make among waists at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $1.85, $2.00 and upwards.

Great variety of materials and trimmings. Lawns, Linons, Dotted Swisses, Batistes, etc., eyelet, flat embroidery or the fine lace work always so lovely. Short or long sleeves.

Fine sheer white lawn, square yoke, front trimmed with Val. lace, tucked back, elbow sleeves, **$1.00**

White lawn, fine tucked yoke, Val. inserting, button back, trimmed in clusters of tucks, elbow sleeves, lace-trimmed collar, **$1.50**

White lawn, "V" yoke of embroidery, fine tucks below yoke, cluster tucked, button back, elbow sleeves, **$1.85**

India linon, "V" yoke of Swiss embroidery and Val., fine tucks, tucked button back, elbow sleeves, all sizes, at **$2.00**

India linon, yoke of embroidered panels, tucking and Val., button in back, elbow sleeves, at **$2.50**

India linon, embroidery panel, short Val. trimmed yoke, button back, tucked elbow sleeves, **$2.75**

India linon, three wide bands of embroidery and fine tucked yoke in front, baby yoke, button back, elbow sleeves, **$4.00**

Allover embroidery, tucked yoke, front and back, button back, elbow sleeves, all sizes, **$5.00**

Dotted Swiss, Dutch neck, trimmed in baby Irish and Valenciennes lace, baby yoke, button back, and elbow sleeves, all sizes, **$5.75**

Black Lawn Waists, tucked yoke, tucked back, button in front, deep tucked cuffs, all sizes, **$1.25**

Women's Tailored Suits

Up to $40.00 Values, $15.00
Up to $50.00 Values, $32.50
Up to $85.00 Values, $40.00
Up to $100.00 Values, $50.00

FOUR lots—the last of their kinds. Various seasonable styles, suitable for traveling or for facing the cool air of the mountains or the sea. An opportunity to secure a going-away suit at a fraction of former prices.

Wash Goods Sale

Half Price—Some Less

WHEN we bought them we paid more to secure the best to be had in color and design, and every piece, no matter what the price, represents the highest expression of the designer's skill.

These unusual reductions are made to effect a speedy sale.

Embroidered printed tissues, English manufacture, fancy woven figures and stripes with floral printings, reduced from 25c to **12½c**

Cotton foulards, handsome colors and designs, very silky in appearance, wash well, reduced from 25c to **12½c**

Shadow printed Taffeta — rich color grounds of navy and hunter's green, with the new shadow printings, reduced from 25c to **12½c**

Imported Bourette Voiles, very cool, yet with a heavy linen-like appearance, neat checks, rings, etc.; complete color line; reduced from 25c to **12½c**

Mersileen, an English make of silk-finished fabric, plain Voile weave and satin striped styles; blue, green, brown, tan, ecru, grays, etc.; reduced from 25c to **12½c**

Printed Organdies—chiffon finish, principally dark grounds, with natural color flowers and foliage, reduced from 35c to **19c**

Silk Chambrays and Ginghams, fine smooth fabrics, all white grounds, with Jacquard designs of very bright yarns, reduced from 50c and 75c to **25c**

Costume Canvas—a mercerized material with fancy woven grounds, loom embroidered figures of black, blue and red on white, reduced from 50c to **25c**

Colored Dress Goods

Short Lengths at Half Price

PLAIN and staple fabrics, challies, cream mohairs and serges, colored mohairs, cheviots, Panamas, broadcloths, novelties, voiles and dozens of others in lengths of from 5 to 8 yards.

We've selected them from this season's best selling styles, and marked them half price.

Sale of Summer Gowns

One-Third Less Than Regular Prices

THE maker gave us this unusual concession. That's why, at the beginning of the season, we make this sale.

Two-piece dresses of fine white dotted Swisses and allover eyelet embroidery, with Val. lace and Swiss embroidery; $25.00 values at **$15.00**

Princess style of figured mulls, lawns and dotted Swisses, trimmed with Val. lace and hand-work; $35.00 values at **$22.50**

Princess style, Swisses with white and colored dots; also figured and plain batistes, trimmed with fine tucks, shirring, Val. lace, embroidery and Irish applique; $40.00 values, **$25.00**

Princess and two-piece styles in white, blue, pink and lavender batistes, dotted Swisses and fancy voiles, elaborately trimmed with lace and hand embroidered linen; $42.50 values, **$30.00**

Linen Suits

New Arrivals

IF there is anything cooler looking than a Linen Suit, nobody has yet discovered it.

Pure white will not be the exclusive rule of the summer. Colors will be allowed to creep in and these linen suits come in the daintiest of colors.

Bolero Eton style, white trimmed with light blue linen and Dresden buttons, skirt circular plaited **$11.00**

Plaited Eton, elaborately trimmed in Torchon lace and French knots; circular plaited skirt; pink, lavender, blue, white, **$15.00**

Plaited Eton, white, trimmed with Irish Crochet insertion and beading; new kimono sleeve; skirt circular. **$16.50**

Auto Coats

Latest Models

In Pongee, Rajah, French Linen, Taffetas and gray fabrics **$18.50 to $40**

Evening Coats

Of allover embroidered Taffeta, trimmed with applique; white, pink and blue— **$35.00**

White Cloth Suits

For the Gardens

Several new models in Eton and Reefer styles, in white and hairline serges and mohairs; attractively trimmed with plain and fancy braids— **$32.50 to $85.00**

Curtains

For Summer Cottages

WE never had so many pretty curtains at moderate cost.

The styles are simply beautiful and the variety of pattern excellent.

Plain organdie, hemstitched ruffles and tucked border, per pair **$1.00**

Figured Swiss, hemstitched ruffles of plain organdie, per pair **$1.10**

Organdie, tucked and hemstitched ruffles and tucked borders, per pair, **$1.15**

Figured Organdie with plain hemstitched ruffles, per pair, **$1.65**

French Cable Net, heavy quality with 3-inch hem, finished with Renaissance braid and Renaissance edge, per pair, **$2.25**

Ecru Canvas Portieres, with crossbands in colors, per pair, **$2.50**

JEWELER FLEECED BY STYLISH PAIR

Man Left Only $30 for $230 Diamond in Fourth Street Store.

A handsome woman of the brunette type, stylishly gowned, and a distinguished appearing man, wearing a gray suit, are being sought by Detectives McCarthy and LaBarge. They are the pair who, working together, fleeced Paul Flucks, a South Fourth street jeweler, out of a $230 diamond.

Chief Desmond thinks the man and woman are clever crooks, and he has given their descriptions to all of his men with instructions to bring the pair in as soon as possible.

The man entered Fluck's store at 616 South Fourth street, at 5 p. m., Wednesday, and began the selection of a diamond. The man's appearance was all in his favor. He was about 45 years old, stylishly, but not flashily, attired, and wore a neat, gray suit, a black derby hat and neat shoes. He had a watch and chain and a ring. He was careful in making his selection, and his manner indicated that he knew a diamond when he saw one.

A stone that was worth $230 attracted him. He decided to buy it. He pulled from his pocket a roll of bills. There were many twenties, two fifties, and a number of smaller denomination. He handed Flucks a roll, and when the jeweler counted it, he declared it was $10 short.

The stranger said there could scarcely be a mistake, and as he reached for the money to recount it, the woman, who is believed to be a confederate, entered. She called Mr. Flucks by name and said she was in a great hurry. Would he not let her look at some earrings at once? As Flucks turned to wait on the young and handsome woman, the man, who had been carefully recounting the bills, handed them across with the remark that he had been in error. Flucks, busy with the woman, took the roll of bills, and laid them back on the counter, while the man in gray strolled leisurely out and disappeared. The woman detained the jeweler a few minutes and left without making any purchase.

Then Flucks picked up his roll of bills. The package was the same size, apparently, but all of the fifties and all of the twenties save one had been taken out and only $30 remained. Flucks then reported the trick to the police.

SPEAKERS ON BOND ISSUE AT FOREST PARK HIGHLANDS SATURDAY

AFTERNOON MEETING.

H. A. Forman, President City Council.
Eugene Sarber, Secretary International Association of Mechanics.
J. A. Spangler, Secretary Building Trades Council.
D. A. Kreyling, Secretary Central Trades and Labor Union.
Dr. John H. Simon.

EVENING MEETING.

Former Judge Leo Rassieur.
Harry B. Hawes.
Edward J. McCullen, President Central Trades and Labor Union.
Charles F. Ziebold, President West End Business Men's Association.
L. C. Irvine.

A special musical program has been arranged for each meeting. Tickets may be obtained free at Room 204 Wainwright Building.

CAPTURE TWO OF WICKLIFFE BAND

United States Deputy Marshals Trailed Cherokee Outlaws With Bloodhounds.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

VINITA, I. T., May 17.—Ben Hungry and Ned Carselute, alleged members of the Wickliffe gang of Indian outlaws, were brought in last night by United States Marshal W. H. Darrough and his posse from the Spavinow Hills where they were captured. The Wickliffes, full-blood Cherokee Indians, have been in the hills over a month, since they fled after killing Deputy Marshal I. L. Gilstrap and J. H. Vier.

The prisoners were placed in the United States jail, charged with complicity in the murder of the deputies. Carselute harbored the Wickliffe brothers and Hungry the night before the battle.

John Smith and his full-blood Night Hawks who worked under Marshal Darrough on the trail of Hungry and Carselue, effected their capture by means of bloodhounds. They went on after the Wickliffes, and up to this time have not been able to force a battle with them.

Hungry Confesses.

Hungry made a complete confession to Marshal Darrough, admitting that he was with the Wickliffes when they killed Deputy Gilstrap and had been scouting with the Wickliffes since Gilstrap was killed. Hungry had been pursued so closely by the Night Hawk officers that he left the Wickliffes and intended leaving the country when he was captured. The confession was taken by Commissioner Farrar.

Hungry says he joined the Kicklliffes a week before the fight with Deputy Gilstrap. He claims he was present but took no part in the fight. He says John Wickliffe, the leader of the outlaws, shot Glistrap and robbed the body. Hungry claims the Wickliffes forced him to stay with them after the fight and threatened to kill him if he left them.

World's Fair Wrecked Home.

Mrs. Susan Stobie has been granted a divorce in the Clayton Circuit Court from her husband, Frank L. Stobie, Justice of the Peace at Wellston. The couple had been married 22 years. In her complaint Mrs. Stobie alleged that her husband had spent almost all of his evenings away from home since the World's Fair.

SECRETARY ACCUSED.

Building Association Begins Suit on Official's Bond.

The Hibernia Building Association filed suit Thursday in the Circuit Court against its secretary, James F. Brady, on his $2000 bond, charging that he had converted $4000 of the association funds to his own use.

John Dockery and John J. McMahon, surety on the bond, are named with Brady in the suit.

The association has headquarters at 108½ North Eighth street.

No Feed for Committee.

The banquet to be given at the Planters Hotel by the Republican City Central Committee and auxiliary committees will take place May 24. Chairman Howe of the Central Committee made this announcement at a meeting of the committee Wednesday night, when E. W. Flentge of Cape Girardeau addressed the committee and announced his candidacy for the nomination for Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner. Mr. Howe said that the original idea of inviting the State Committee to the banquet had been abandoned.

How It Sounded.

From the Baltimore American.

"She asked her husband for a thousand dollars, and he gave her assent."

"The mean thing."

JOSEPH SMITH TO SPEAK.

Son of Mormonism's Founder Will Hold Revival.

Following the dedication of the Church of the Reorganized Branch of Latter Day Saints at Glasgow avenue and Dickson street Sunday, a series of revival meetings will be conducted by the venerable President Joseph Smith, son of the founder of the original Church of the Latter Day Saints and translator of the Book of Mormon.

The church has a membership in St. Louis of over 500. The building to be dedicated Sunday is its principal place of worship, and was purchased from the Glasgow Avenue Presbyterian congregation. President Smith has been the head of the reorganized church since 1860. Its beliefs and doctrines are distinctly different from the Mormon Church in Utah. It has always opposed polygamy and has sent missionaries to Utah.

Huh.

From Cleveland Leader.

"I've half a mind to write a magazine sonnet."

'Go ahead—that's just what it takes."

Thoughtful Boy.

"It is touching to see how careful little Johnny is to lead his grandfather around every puddle."

"Yes; he has to polish grandfather's boots every morning."

F. C. WOODRUFF DEAD.

He Had Been Teacher in St. Louis Forty Years.

Frederick C. Woodruff, for 40 years a teacher in the St. Louis public schools, died Wednesday night at his home, 5207 Ridge avenue, from paralysis. He had been in ill health for more than a year and for six weeks had been confined to his bed.

Mr. Woodruff was born in Granville, Mass., 69 years ago, and was educated in Ohio. He served during the Civil War as a Captain in the Eleventh Ohio Volunteers and at the close of the war came to St. Louis. In 1865 he became the assistant principal of the Clay School. He was transferred to the Webster School and in 1873 became the principal of the Henry Ames School, where he remained until 1900. Then he became the principal of the Divoll School, which position he rtained until his death.

Mr. Woodruff was married in St. Louis and he is survived by his wife, one daughter and three sons. The funeral will be held Saturday, the services being under the direction of Dr. S. J. Niccolls of the Third Presbyterian Church.

During Mr. Woodruff's illness great loads of flowers were sent to him by former pupils and the telephone was kept ringing by friends anxious to know how he was getting along.

LOOK OUT

For the gem offered in "Ready-to-Wear" goods by the merchants in every Friday's POST-DISPATCH.

Nugents' Remnant Day

Thousands of Remnants and Odd Lots of Our Best Goods to Be Sacrificed Tomorrow

Time for Hammocks!

Be cool and comfortable in one of our luxurious Hammocks. They're strong, serviceable and splendid values at the prices, which range from.....**52c** to **$5.00** each

Real Renaissance Lace Curtains, mounted on plain white organdie with 4-inch ruffle—worth $1.25—at, per pair.. **85c**

Rope Portieres of heavy cord—nicely festooned—worth $2.25—for **$1.27**

China Mattings—good heavy quality—slightly soiled—worth 25c—sold in 40-yard rolls only—at, per roll ... **$3.60**

Snowflake Portieres, with fancy cross stripes—worth $2.25—at, per pair..... **$1.49**

Nottingham Curtains in pretty novelty effects—worth $1.00—at, per pair..... **63c**

Nottingham Curtains, 60 inches wide—scroll design—overlocked edges—3½ yards long—worth $2.25—at, per pair **$1.12**

Oriental Stripe Couch Covers, with fringe all round—worth $1.00—at, each **67c**

Bissell's Crown Carpet Sweepers—full size—oak finish—rubber-tire wheels and braid band around case to prevent marring furniture—worth $2.25—for **$1.45**

A Friday sacrifice of odd lots of cool

Summer Clothing

Men's—Youths'—Boys'

With every Boy's Suit at $2.50 or more we give, absolutely free, a serviceable Catcher's Mitt or Baseball and Bat.

Boys' Wash Pants of washable Ducks, Galateas and Madras—plain colors and fancy stripes and checks—all fast colors—celebrated "Regatta" Brand—50c Pants—Friday..... **25c**

Boys' Wash Suits—Blouse style, with sailor collars—madras, percales and fancy ducks—stripes and checks—good washable colors—$1.00 suits—Friday..... **50c**

Boys' Suits—Double-breasted Coats and Knee Pants, of good quality cheviots and cassimeres—neat patterns in fancy mixtures—splendid suits for school or vacation wear—worth $3.00—Friday..... **$1.89**

Youths' Suits—2 and 3-piece long pants style—coats single-breasted—all wool cheviots and cassimeres in fancy mixtures—Regular $8.50 Suits—out they go Friday at..... **$5.00**

Men's Pants of Cassimeres and Worsteds, in fancy mixtures and neat stripes—well made and perfect fitting—very serviceable—for street or dress wear—$3.00 values—Friday..... **$1.95**

Men's Coats—Of fast color Black Alpaca—cool, yet dressy looking—just what you want these hot days for the office or for street wear—regular $3 coats—Our Price, Friday..... **$2.00**

Domestics

Cheese Cloths, Buntings, Pillow Cases, Sheets, etc.—all marked at quick-riddance prices Friday! In Basement.

5c Yard-Wide Unbleached Cheese Cloth—Friday, per yard..... **3½c**

6½c Yard-Wide Bleached Cheese Cloth—Friday at.... **4½c**

8 1-3c White or Cream Bunting—fine quality—Friday at..... **6¼c**

10c Striped Shirting Cheviots—all fast colors—Friday, per yard..... **7½c**

45x36-inch Bleached Pillow Cases—regular 12½c grade—Friday..... **9c**

72x90-inch Bleached Sheets—fine, soft quality—Friday..... **52½c**

Hosiery

WOMEN'S fast black seamless Cotton Stockings—summer weight—worth 15c—Friday **5c**

WOMEN'S 25c fast black Cotton Hose—full regular made—double soles—medium weight—Friday **17c**

WOMEN'S fast black or tan all-over lace Hose—neat pattern—a 25c stocking—Friday price **15c**

BOYS' 19c heavy ribbed Cotton Stockings—very durable—Friday price **10c**

CHILDREN'S fast black Cotton Stockings—full fashioned—spliced knees—the 25c quality—Friday **15c**

MEN'S fast black seamless Cotton Sox—lisle finish—double heels and toes—worth 12 1-2c—Friday **8c**

Odd Lots of Summer Weight

Underwear

WOMEN'S Swiss ribbed Cotton Vests—low neck and sleeveless—tape in neck and arms—this 12 1-2c kind—Friday **5c**

WOMEN'S high neck long sleeve Vests—25c quality—Sale price **12½c**

CHILDREN'S light summer-weight knitted Waists—good strong buttons—15c kind—Friday sale price **10c**

WOMEN'S Swiss ribbed Umbrella Drawers—lace at knees—regular 25c quality—Friday **17c**

MEN'S fine quality Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, with mercerized pink hair line stripes—silk stitched—pearl button—fancy collarette neck on shirts—just the right weight—regular price 35c—here tomorrow at, per garment **35c**

Infants' Wear

A sample line of little short coats and reefers for ages 2 to 4 years—slightly mussed from being shown. Prices about half!

Worth	$1.75	$2.25	$3.75	$4.50	$5.95
Now	$0.95	$1.25	$1.75	$2.25	$2.95

Friday Sale of Remnants of

Silk and Dress Goods

Thousands of them! Every wanted color, weave and pattern represented. All to be rushed out of our way Friday at the following absurdly low figures:

Remnants of Silks

PLAIN TAFFETAS, rough Tussahs, Pongees, Foulards, China Silks, Fancy Taffetas and novelty effects in various fashionable weaves and colors. Worth up to 65c a yard. Out they go Friday at, per yard..... **18c**

PRINTED FOULARDS, Hair-line Taffetas, Fancy Jacquard Taffetas, plain Taffetas, Plaids, Checks and Louisines—goods worth 50c, 75c and $1.00 a yard if cut from the piece. Out they go Friday at, per yard..... **27c**

PLAIN TAFFETAS, Fancy Taffetas, Foulards, Pongees, Tussahs, Pompadours, Printed Warp Taffetas, Silk Failles, Peau de Cygnes, Marie Antoinettes, Jasper Taffetas, etc.—worth up to $1.50 a yard. Out they go Friday at, per yard..... **43c**

Dress Goods Remnants

REMNANTS of Gray Suitings, stylish Plaids, Checks, Novelties, Serges, Granites, Challies, Batistes and various Novelties—goods actually worth up to 50c a yard. Out they go Friday at, per yard..... **12c**

REMNANTS of Mohairs, Checks, Plaids, Veilings, Albatros, Challies, Serges, Covert Suitings, Granites, Batistes, etc. Goods that we sell regularly from the piece up to 75c a yard. Out they go Friday at, per yard..... **19c**

REMNANTS of handsome silk and wool Crepe de Paris, Silk Finished Mohairs, fine Serges, Cheviots, Batistes, Veilings, Challies, Gray Suitings, etc. Goods worth up to $1.25 a yard. Out they go Friday at, per yard..... **38c**

Black Goods Remnants

Four-yard skirt lengths of 54-inch Taffetas, Panamas, etc.—deep, rich black—dust and shower proof—worth $5.00 each—here Friday, per pattern..... **$2.87**

Bedding

A Friday closing-out sale of all accumulated small lots. Nugents' Basement.

$1.50 Summer Comforts of best figured silkoline and white sheet cotton—Friday ... **$1.15**

$1.25 large 12-4 White Spreads—Marseilles designs—Friday **99c**

$2.00 White Real Marseilles Spreads—beautiful patterns—Friday **$1.69**

$2.50 Fringed Real Marseilles Spreads—with pretty scroll patterns—Friday... **$1.88**

Lot fine Feather Pillows, filled with pure clean live geese feathers and covered with best German tick—Friday, per pair **$3.50**

Women's Smart, Up-to-Date

Oxfords

Women's Patent Ideal Kid Blucher Oxfords—Mat Kid Tops—Large Eyelets—Cuban heel—regular $2.25 values—Sizes 2 1-2 to 7—Friday **$1.49**

Women's White Canvas Oxfords—Blucher style—regular $2.00 values—Size 2 1-2 to 8—Friday **$1.50**

Women's Soft Kid Prince Alberts—Patent leather tips—Elastic sides—Rubber heels—Sizes 3 to 8—Here Friday **$1.48**

Wash Goods Remnants

Left from our immense sale of the Claflin stocks! High-class Wash Goods in novelty effects, silk mixed goods, lawns, batistes, etc.—dress patterns, waist patterns and short lengths of every size—all to go Friday in one big lot! Printed lawns and batistes, silk ginghams, imported madras, colored linens, Nagasaki silks, silk organdies, French organdies, zephyr ginghams, mercerized checked taffetas, imperial chambrays in plain colors and checks, etc. Goods actually worth 10c to 50c a yard. Just because they're remnants we've marked them all at, per yard **7½c**

Muslin Underwear

Little lots—odd sizes—slightly soiled and mussed garments—all to be rushed out of our way at these prices tomorrow! Second floor.

CAMBRIC DRAWERS—Umbrella ruffle with cluster of tucks—a bargain for Friday at..... **25c**

GOWNS of good muslin with embroidery insertion—regular 60c garments—an odd lot Friday at..... **37c**

CORSET COVERS of cambric—full front trimmed with torchon lace edge at neck and sleeves and two rows of insertion—regular 35c quality—a small lot Friday at..... **19c**

MUSLIN SKIRTS with full umbrella ruffle—finished with cluster of tucks—torchon edge and dust ruffle—some slightly soiled—$1 value—Friday..... **75c**

CHILDREN'S DRAWERS—Umbrella ruffle trimmed with Val. lace—sizes 2 to 10 years—regular 25c values—here Friday at..... **12½c**

CHILDREN'S Muslin Gowns—finished at neck and sleeves with Val. lace edges—sizes 2 to 6 years—regular 50c goods—here at..... **25c**

For Girls and Misses

Hot weather Suits and Dresses in graceful girlish styles, marked at remarkably low figures for Friday.

Confirmation and Commencement Dresses of China Silks, Organdies, Mulls, Persian Lawns, Nets, etc. Prices range from $10.00 to $29.75.

Russian Dress of white Indian head, for girls of 6 to 14 years—worth $3.00—our price..... **$1.75**

Regulation Suits of Indian head linen—full pleated skirt—emblem on sleeve and shield—sizes 6 to 14 years—Friday, priced at **$2.25**

Sailor Suits of white union linen, with embroidered collar and light blue band on sleeve—sizes 6 to 14 years—a bargain at **$2.95**

Dresses for girls of 6 to 14, of white lawn, India linon and Persian lawns, with long or short sleeves—lace or embroidery trimmed—prices **$1.35, $1.75, $1.95, $2.50** and up to **$12.75.**

Girls' Dresses—sizes 8 to 14—of Bobbinet and Point d'Esprit, trimmed with German and French Val. laces—prices **$5.50** up to **$18.75.**

Misses' Regulation Suits—sizes 14, 16 and 18 years—of white linen, beautifully embroidered—with large black silk tie and full tucked skirt—at. **$6.50**

Misses' Regulation Suits of white Indian head—with tucked skirt—sizes 14, 16 and 18 years—Friday **$4.25**

Misses' Box Coat Suits of white butcher's linen, with pink collar and cuffs, large pearl buttons and side pleated skirt—sizes 14, 16 and 18 years—Friday **$6.95**

Misses' Box Coat Suits of pink and white striped pique—coat has bias bands and fancy pearl buttons—collar and cuffs inlaid with plain French pique—new circular skirt—sizes 14, 16 and 18 years—our price. **$8.95**

Women's Dress Skirts

Special Friday sale of just the styles now in greatest demand—second floor.

Pretty Circular Sunburst Skirts, made of gray, black or blue brilliantine—worth $7.50—a small lot Friday at **$5.00**

Six different styles of Dress Skirts, of Panamas, in fancy mixtures and neat checks—white, black, blue and gray—regular $7.50 to $8.50 Skirts for..... **$5.00**

Wash Skirts—A full line, ranging in price from $1.95 to $25.00. We call your especial attention Friday to a lot of Skirts, made of Indian head, butcher's linen, pique, French linen, etc., in the latest style, at **$6.75**

Pretty gored circular Skirts of gray worsted Panama, with pleated panel front and fold on bottom—were $12 each—now..... **$7.95**

Circular Sunburst Skirts of fine white or black voile, made to sell at $19.75—Friday, priced at **$10.75**

Still Another Big Shipment of

Elbow Silk Gloves

And Lace Mitts just received from our Paris office! Also a lot of silk extension tops to wear over short gloves, making them look exactly like 16-button long gloves—all colors and white or black.

Important Read This

An extraordinary bargain in Embroidered and Lace-Trimmed

White Shirt-Waist Patterns

200 in the lot, comprising 12 distinct and very attractive styles—made of a fine quality India linon and actually worth $2.50 and $3.00 a pattern. Your choice Friday, at our Lace Section on First Floor, for **$1.50**

Also an immense accumulation of Embroidery and Lace Remnants—all marked Friday at **Half Price, and some even less than half!**

Ready-to-Make Garments

A great sacrifice sale of these goods at **just half price!** White Goods Counter—Main Floor.

Ready-to-Make Waists of fancy Madras; former price 69c—will close out at **35c**

Ready-to-Make Waists of Union Butcher Linen; former price 79c—close out at..... **40c**

Ready-to-Make Waists of fine Butcher Linen; former price 98c—now they go at **49c**

Ready-to-Make Waists of India Linon, with embroidered fronts of lace and insertions; former price $1.25—out they go at **63c**

Ready-to-Make Waists of India Linon; former price 49c each—out they go now at only **25c**

Ready-to-Make Matinees or Dressing Sacques; former price 98c—will close at **49c**

Ready-to-Make Kimonos of fine Summer flannel; former price $1.49 each—now they'll go at **75c**

Ready-to-Make Kimonos of silk mixed Challie—were $2.49—out they go at.... **$1.25**

White Goods Remnants

Regular prices cut to pieces, just because the goods are not in full lengths.

Remnants Checked Nainsook and India Linon—worth up to 10c a yard—choice Friday, per yard..... **3½c**

Remnants of Fancy Pique Suitings for waists and suits—15c quality, at, per yard..... **10c**

Remnants of 40-inch Batiste Lawns—very fine and sheer—a 20c quality—Friday, per yard..... **10c**

Remnants of Mercerized Batiste—40 inches wide—very popular for waists and dresses—worth 30c—Friday, per yard **17½c**

Remnants of 45-inch Persian and French Lawns and India Linon—worth 40c—Friday at..... **29c**

Five-Dollar Trimmed Hats for 95 Cents!

Nearly a thousand of them—made to sell at from $4 to $6 each—your choice of the entire lot Friday for just..... **95c**

Dressed Dolls! Samples!

A rare chance to make the little ones happy at very small expense! Sample line of a big doll importer, bought way under market prices and now on sale in our basement Doll Department at **Half Price.**

50-cent Dressed Dolls at.....**25c**
$1.00 Dressed Dolls at.....**50c**
$2.00 Dressed Dolls at.....**$1.00**
$5.00 Dressed Dolls at.....**$2.00**

Pillows

Special Bargain in Summer Pillows—A good silk floss cushion, with striped tapestry cover—assorted colors—Friday, complete in our main floor Art Department at only **49c**

Combs

A Clean-up Sale of Combs. A big lot of plain and fancy styles—regular 25c to $1.00 goods—choice Friday for **19c**

Bags

White Embroidered Bags, with gilt frame and coin purse—never before sold for less than 50c—here Friday at **25c**

Perfume

Nugents' special Perfume—"Apple Blossom," "White Rose," "Violet" and "American Beauty"—as good as sold for 25c to 40c elsewhere—our Friday Special at, per ounce **15c**

B. NUGENT & BRO. DRY GOODS CO., BROADWAY, WASHINGTON AVENUE AND ST. CHARLES STREET

One Hundred and One Friday Bargains

Every Item a Big Money Saver. Early Shopping Is Advised.

The May Co.

Washington Ave. and Sixth St.

1,001 chances to economize, but 101 is all we print. For Friday's selling we have chosen 101 of the best values offered in some time: every thrifty and conservative shopper should read each and every one of these items carefully. They speak of exceptional economies that can be made on articles both for wear and for the home.

Next Monday morning our new $50,000 restaurant will be opened. Prepare for the royal feast of culinary art. Music and flowers. Watch the Sunday papers for highly important opening announcement.

Friday special No. 1.
Corsets
$4.00 corsets, in white, pink and blue, high bust, long hip models, with double hose supporters attached—Friday's price, each 2.50
Second floor

Friday special No. 2.
P. N. corsets
200 of these corsets in broken sizes, long hip, high bust—slightly soiled—Friday's price, each ..... .95
Second floor

Friday special No. 3.
Tape girdles
In all sizes, nicely made of best English tape—sold everywhere for 59c—special, Friday ..... .35
Second floor

Friday special No. 4.
Lace curtains
Magnificent Saxony, Egyptian, French guipure, Brussels net and 4-ply cable net—curtains that sell regularly at $3.50 and $4.00—special, pair 1.98
Third floor

Friday special No. 5.
Lace curtains
Samples of fine Egyptian, French guipure and Scotch lace curtains—1½ to 1¾ yards long—6 to 15 pairs of a kind—50c and 75c values, each ..... .25
Third floor

Friday special No. 6.
Lace curtains
Arabian Nottingham lace curtains, in real Irish point and novelty designs—3½ yards long—54 inches wide—$2.00 values, special, the pair 1.25
Third floor

Friday special No. 7.
Bath tub seats
Hardwood finished seat, with nickel-plated hanger; very useful article; special Friday, each ..... .19
Basement

Friday special No. 8.
Lace curtains
Beautiful Scotch and Nottingham lace curtains, copies of elegant hand-made designs, 3½ yards long and 54 inches wide—$2.50 values, the pair 1.49
Third floor

Friday special No. 9.
Lace door panels
Irish point and braid renaissance lace door panels, with rich open-work and spachtel designs—75c values, priced Friday, special, each ..... .39
Third floor

Friday special No. 10.
Laces
1500 pieces of fine machine-made torchon and cluny laces, from 1 to 3 inches wide—worth up to 20c—priced Friday, the yard 5c
First floor

Friday special No. 11.
Laces
Imported sample pieces of fine Normandy, point de Paris and imitation cluny laces and insertions—worth up to 25c—special, the yard ..... .10
First floor

Friday special No. 12.
Embroidery remnants
Accumulations from our May Sale—allovers, flouncings, edgings, beadings, corset-cover embroideries,, etc.—all lengths, widths and qualities—yard, 10c, 25c ..... .50
First floor

Friday special No. 13.
Embroidered robes
Slightly soiled washable Swiss embroidered robes—semi-made skirt and waist—embroidery flounce and insertion—worth $6.50, special at 2.98
First floor

Friday special No. 14.
Women's Oxfords
4500 pairs women's patent kid and tan vici kid Oxfords and Gibson ties—turned and welt soles—$2.00 values—all sizes—per pair 1.19
Basement

Friday special No. 15.
Curtain stretchers
All sizes, in "No-Piece" curtain stretchers, none better made—a useful size for this sale; special Friday, each ..... .49
Fourth floor

Friday special No. 16.
Fountain pens
Gold-plated pens, hard rubber caps, complete with filler; special value Friday at ..... .25
First floor

Friday special No. 17.
Hose supporters
All sizes, in Samson black or white hose supporters, extra strong; special value, the pair 8c
First floor

Friday special No. 18.
Tarine bags
Manahan's tarine bags, double strength, size 25x36, regularly sold at 50c; priced special Friday ..... .33
First floor

Friday special No 19.
Tarine sheets
Double strength, Japanese brand, sizes 40x48; specially priced Friday at, per sheet 3c
First floor

Friday special No. 20.
Hand bags
Fancy hand bags, Vienna handle style, cloth lined, fitted with separate purse; an unusual value, each ..... .25
First floor

Friday special No. 21.
Cigar band trays
All the rage, 7-inch size, without felt, regular 20c value; priced for Friday's selling, each ..... .10
First floor

Friday special No. 22.
Pearl buttons
Fresh water or marine shell pearl buttons, all sizes, plain or fancy; specially priced, per dozen 2c
First floor

Friday special No. 23.
Writing paper
Two quires Persian lawn stationery, in white or azure, 50 new flap envelopes to match; special value, box ..... .25
First floor

Friday special No. 24.
Women's Oxfords
1800 pairs of women's patent kid, dull kid and tan vici kid Oxfords, in turns, welt soles—all styles and sizes—$3.00 values, the pair 1.85
First floor

Friday special No. 25.
Tin pails
2000 10-quart tin pails—IX quality—an exceptional offer to money-saving shoppers—none to dealers—each ..... .10
Fourth floor

Friday special No. 26.
Clairette soap
Friday we will place on sale in our household goods department the well-known Clairette brand of soap at the special price, 7 bars for ..... .15
Fourth floor

Friday special No. 27.
Standard lawn seed
One pound packages of standard lawn seed—seeds of a sufficient variety of grasses for a firm and satisfactory turf—15c packages at 5c
Fourth floor

Friday special No. 28.
Garden hose
Best three-ply garden hose, high-grade nozzle—50 feet of hose and hose reel—last chance to buy this high-grade hose and outfit at only 3.69
Fourth floor

Friday special No. 29.
Enameled water pails
1000 10-quart water pails, made of extra heavy steel—three-coated enamel—guaranteed to outwear any other enamelware made—special at ..... .25
Fourth floor

Friday special No. 30.
Enameled buckets
4-pint covered buckets, heavy enameled inside and out, in rich brown and white—special for Friday's selling, each ..... .10
Fourth floor

Friday special No. 31.
Enameled dish pans
1500 of these 14-quart enameled dish pans, absolutely first quality—will outwear any enameled ware made—enough for all—each ..... .25
Fourth floor

Friday special No. 32.
Enameled cereal cooker
3-piece rice or cereal cooker—we have one solid car of this high-grade enameled ware—while these last, Friday, each ..... .25
Fourth floor

Friday special No. 33.
Enameled drinking mugs
Of the same high-grade ware as above—a good bargain at 10c—while they last, special, Friday, each 5c
Fourth floor

Friday special No. 34.
Colored silk remnants
All of these, in both plain and fancy—lengths 1 to 15 yards—taffetas, louisenes, peau de cygnes, messalines and many others—all at one price, yard ..... .25
First floor

Friday special No. 35.
Miscellaneous silk remnants
Comprising something of almost everything and in various lengths and patterns—silks that have sold at four times this price, the yard 1 2½
First floor

Friday special No. 36.
Corded kaikai wash silk
Well worth 49c yard—this silk is so popular on account of its washable qualities—on sale Friday, special at only, the yard ..... .28
First floor

Friday special No. 37.
Shantung silks
Balance of our entire stock of all-silk rough Shantung, that have been selling at $1.00 to $1.25—for Friday only, the yard ..... .38
First floor

Friday special No. 38.
Long silk gloves
16 button white mosquetaire silk gloves, all sizes, 5½ to 7—regular $1.75 quality—specially priced Friday, the pair 1.15
First floor

Friday special No. 39.
Women's umbrellas
$2.50 and $2.75 quality of pure silk serge umbrellas, in black with fancy borders—a great variety of natural wood handles to select from, each 1.79
First floor

Friday special No 40.
Baby carriages
Handsome designs, richly upholstered, satin parasol, rubber tired—carriage fully worth $25.00; special, each 7.50
Fourth floor

Friday special No. 41.
Go-Carts
Heywood folding go-carts, made of fine reed, fancy sides, adjustable front, cane seat, reclining back—$8.50 values; special 5.98
Fourth floor

Friday special No. 42.
Suit cases
Cowhide leather cases, made with short fold, reinforced corners, brass lock and catches—$5.75 value, at 4.49
Fourth floor

Friday special No. 43.
Black voile
44-inch, in black only, a fine sheer quality, chiffon finish—just the thing for warm weather—85c value, the yard ..... .69
First floor

Friday special No. 44.
Mohair sicilian
52-inch, a good lustrous finish and very serviceable—black only—regular 65c values; priced special, the yard ..... .49
First floor

Friday special No. 45.
Rose bushes
Just from the hothouse; in full leaf; will bloom this season; raised right here in Missouri; many varieties to select from; each 8c
First floor

Friday special No. 46.
Mohair sicilian
52-inch, a good serviceable fabric, very lustrous finish and fully worth 75c; brown only; priced special in Friday's sale, the yard ..... .39
First floor

Friday special No. 47.
Cream mohair
38-inch, with hairline stripe, suitable for waists and full gowns, washes nicely—worth 49c; priced special Friday, the yard ..... .38
First floor

Friday special No. 48.
Cream melrose cloth
42-inch, a small, fancy weave fabric, washable and very popular for summer—worth 65c the yard—priced special Friday, the yard ..... .49
First floor

Friday special No. 49.
Trimmed hats
300 new trimmed hats, embodying all the new ideas in both style and trimming; extra special value Friday only, each 5.00
Second floor

Friday special No. 50.
Flowers
500 bunches sample flowers, every known variety—actual 75c values; priced for Friday, special, the bunch ..... .15
Second floor

Friday special No. 51.
Children's belts
Patent leather belts, in white, black or red, with good nickel buckle—all sizes—special value, each ..... .10
First floor

Friday special No. 52.
Hair ornaments
Fancy hair ornaments, shell or amber jeweled, and fancy mountings—25c values—priced special for Friday, each ..... .15
First floor

Friday special No. 53.
Children's hats
Children's Hats, in Sailors, Tams, Napoleons, Continental styles and many others, in straw braids; 89c qualities; priced special Friday at ..... .45
First floor

Friday special No. 54.
White lawn waists
Lingerie Waists; fine grade White Lawn; imported embroidery allover fronts; finished with Val. laces and embroideries; $3 values; each 1.95
Second floor

Friday special No. 55.
Odd silk waists
Unlined chiffon taffeta or Jap. silk; white, light blue, pink, Nile, gray, green and other shades; Val. lace trimmed; $3.50 to $5.00 values; each 1.50
Second floor

Friday special No. 56.
Tailored suits
$12 odds and ends in Suits, 3.95; $18 odds and ends in Suits, 7.50; $20 odds and ends in suits 9.95
Second floor

Friday special No. 57.
Women's vests
Swiss ribbed; deep crocheted yoke; blue and pink; very durable and elastic; sizes 4, 5 and 6; 15c values; special at 9c
First floor

Friday special No. 58.
Women's hosiery
Black lace and fine lisle ribbed; fast black, lace to the toe; also light weight fine lisle ribbed hose; all sizes; 3 pair 50c; pair ..... .18
First floor

Friday special No. 59.
Women's hose
Maco, split soles; double heels and toes; white soles; guaranteed fast black; sizes 8½ to 10; 25c values; the pair 12½
First floor

Friday special No. 60.
Women's vests
White Swiss ribbed Vests, extra quality; lace crocheted yokes; sizes 4, 5 and 6; 39c values, the garment ..... .25
First floor

Friday special No. 61.
Axminster rugs
In the 9x12 size, in beautiful Oriental and medallion, also floral patterns; $24.50 values; at 19.85
Third floor

Friday special No. 62.
Wash shirtwaist suits
Made of lawn or percale, in dark or light grounds; checks or dots; piped or plaited; full skirts; 2.00 values, each ..... .95
Second floor

Friday special No. 63.
Gingham petticoats
Made with full deep flounce, of a high-grade gingham; odd pieces; striped patterns—all shades—$1.00 to $1.25 values, priced special at ..... .50
Second floor

Friday special No. 64.
White lawn waists
Made of a good grade of sheer lawn, with rows of embroidery or Val. laces as trimming; some soiled; $1.25 values, special at ..... .69
Second floor

Friday special No. 65.
Wilton velvet rugs
In the 9x12 size, in rich medallion, Oriental and floral patterns; rugs that sell regularly at $22.50, priced special, each 16.98
Third floor

Friday special No. 66.
Pro-Brussels rugs
In the 9x12 size, all wool and reversible; exceptionally pretty designs; $12.50 values, special at 9.25
Third floor

Friday special No. 67.
Boys' rompers
Boys' rompers, or play suits, made of blue chambray and denims; sizes to fit children 2 to 7 years; 50c values; Friday, each ..... .29
Third floor.

Friday special No. 68.
Boys' blouses
Boys madras and percale blouses, with or without collars; well finished throughout; a positive 75c value; special, Friday, each ..... .35
Third floor.

Friday special No. 69.
Children's hats
Sample hats, in all styles; only one and two of a kind; they range in price from $1.39 to $3.00; special Friday at ..... .95
First floor

Friday special No. 70.
White union linen skirts
Wash skirts, made of union linen, in a full-cut walking length; kilted flounce; splendid $2.00 values—special at 1.00
Second floor

Friday special No 71.
Grey walking skirts
Grey plaids and checks and plain light grey walking skirts; plaited panel front and back; splendid $4.50 values, each 2.95
Second floor

Friday special No. 72.
White lawn waists
Beautiful white lawn waists, in rich designs; embroidery and lace fronts; elbow sleeves; splendid values; each ..... .95
Second floor

Friday special No. 73.
Napkins
24-inch napkins, in an elegant quality bleached linen, satin finished damask; special, the dozen 2.69
First floor

Friday special No 74.
Batiste
Colored batiste, in a splendid collection of pretty floral and conventional designs; all colors; 8c values; special, the yard 4c
Basement

Friday special No. 75.
Colored Batiste
Colored Batistes, in beautiful colors; all the wanted shades of the season; floral designs; 10c values; special, the yard 6c
Basement

Friday special No. 76.
Wash goods
Wash goods, including beautiful Swisses, embroidered organdies and colored batistes; good values; 12½c to 15c kind; special, the yard 7½c
Basement

Friday special No. 77.
Flowered organdies
Sheer, fluffy material, large striking floral designs; also colored dotted Swisses in a variety of patterns; 15c values; the yard 10½
Basement

Friday special No. 78.
White lawn shirtwaist suits
Made of good quality white lawn; plaited waists with embroidered panel front; also embroidery on front panel of skirt; $7 values; each 3.95
Second floor

Friday special No. 79.
Silk Eton coats
Nobby black taffeta Etons, neatly trimmed; very dressy and well made throughout; regular $7.50 values; priced special, each 4.95
Second floor

Friday special No. 80.
White lawn waists
Fine lingerie Waists, exquisite embroidery allover fronts; Val. lace strip trimming; neatly tucked and laced elbow sleeves; $2.25 values 1.25
Second floor

Friday special No. 81.
Silk mulls
Printed Silk Mulls, with pointelle effects; also lace novelties in the newest floral ideas; all colors; 35c values, the yard ..... .19
First floor

Friday special No. 82.
Printed Swiss
These are dotted Swisses, with white grounds; new floral effects in print and satin raye novelties; 15c values, the yard 10½
First floor

Friday special No. 83.
Brown linen
The wanted fabric of today; brown linen for entire suits and automobile costumes; all pure linen; 20c values, the yard ..... .15
First floor

Friday special No. 84.
Silk mousseline
Half silk, in red, rose, plum, pink, Nile, helio, white, cream, navy, black, Alice blue, gray and cadet; 19c values; the yard ..... .10
First floor

Friday special No. 85.
Damask
Wm. Liddell & Co.'s Gold Medal satin-bleached Damask; 72 inches wide; leaf, flower, dot and scroll, daisy and sweet pea design; yard ..... .85
First floor

Friday special No. 86.
India linon
A beautiful sheer quality, made from a fine combed yarn; an elegant material for the warm weather; 15c value; the yard ..... .10
Basement

Friday special No. 87.
Bed sheets
A full 2x2½-yard sheet, made from one of the standard sheetings; extra heavy weight; free from dressing; 65c values; the piece ..... .49
Basement

Friday special No. 88.
White spreads
A neat white Spread; very substantial; full bed size, crocheted Marseilles patterns; hemmed; $1.50 value; special, each 1.25
Basement

Friday special No. 89.
Spreads
Extra heavy crocheted Spreads, fringed; cut corner; elegant Marseilles patterns; the kind that usually sell at $1.75; each 1.39
Basement

Friday special No. 90.
Infants' slips
Made of fine nainsook, yoke lace trimmed; skirt finished with deep hem; good material; 85c value; each ..... .59
Second floor

Friday special No. 91.
Infants' wrappers
Made of a good quality flannelette, in colors pink or light blue; very well finished; 75c values; at ..... .49
Second floor

Friday special No. 92.
Infants' shawls
Infants' Flannelette Shawls, with pink or blue edgings; a good serviceable article; 49c value; priced special, each ..... .25
Second floor

Friday special No. 93.
Infants' crib pillows
Made of good quality cambric, trimmed with hemstitched ruffle; regularly sold at 69c; priced, special, each ..... .50
Second floor

Friday special No. 94.
Women's corset covers
Made with tight fitting back, full blouse front; very well made garments; lace trimmed; 65c values; the garment ..... .49
Second floor

Friday special No. 95.
Women's corset covers
Made extra size, 44 to 50 inch busts; lace trimmed and well-made garments throughout; 35c values; each ..... .25
Second floor

Friday special No. 96.
Dressing sacques
Women's lawn dressing sacques, made kimono style, of a good quality material; trimmed down front with edge in plain colors; each ..... .19
Second floor

Friday special No. 97.
Women's drawers
Made of a fine quality muslin, well made throughout; trimmed with embroidery; 35c values; the garment ..... .19
Second floor

Friday special No. 98.
Women's drawers
Extra size women's drawers, neatly tucked; made of a good quality muslin and regular 50c values; priced special, the garment ..... .39
Second floor

Friday special No. 99.
Women's gowns
Made of a good quality muslin, finished with tucked yoke; ruffle on neck and sleeves; 49c values; each ..... .29
Second floor

Friday special No. 100.
Shirt waists
$1.00 and $1.25 fine seasonable shirt waists, in black or white lawn; some have lace insertion and are new 1906 models; slightly soiled; each ..... .69
Basement

Read This Page of "Friday Bargains" and You Will Become Imbued With the Spirit of Economy

Editorial

The new Grand-Leader will be a store for men as well as for women.

Twenty thousand square feet of floor space—a large store in itself—will be devoted to men's and boys' clothing.

Adjoining this department will be the men's shoe store, which, by the way, will be thoroughly complete.

The men's furnishing department will be greatly enlarged, and its location will be a great convenience.

Athletics and sportsmen will be especially interested in the new sporting goods department, which will be located on the fifth floor.

Stix, Baer & Fuller D. G. Co.

Silk Petticoats

$5.95 Values for $3.95

PETTICOATS of extra heavy rustling Taffeta Silk; fancy gray and white, and black and white stripes; deep sectional flare flounce; silk underlay and dust ruffle; others in solid colors and black; umbrella ruffle, with accordion plaiting and small ruffle; $5.95 value; at.....**$3.95**

(Second Floor.)

One-Piece Waist

THE Stillman one-piece waist has revolutionized waist making. The inventor (Miss Stillman) is now demonstrating the advantages of this wonderful pattern in main aisle—Main Floor.

25c Cushion Slips, 15c

TAPESTRY Cushion Slips; variety of pretty stripped designs; finished with four tassels; ready to slip the cushion in; worth 25c each; at **15c**

(Third Floor.)

GRAND-LEADER

Stix, Baer & Fuller Dry Goods Co.

Women's 19c Vests, 10c

WOMEN'S Swiss ribbed Cotton Vests; low neck and sleeveless; tape neck and arms; fancy crochet yokes; worth 19c; on sale Friday at **10c**

(Main Floor.)

$1 Crepe de Paris, 49c

BLACK silk and wool Crepe de Paris; 44 inches wide; light weight; fast black; worth $1.00 a yard; while the lot lasts, on Main Floor, per yard...**49c**

Boys' Waists Reduced

As this department is to be discontinued in our present store, we are closing out our stock on hand for less than half the regular selling prices, and you may choose from a great number of styles; made of fancy percales and Madras and plain white Madras; ages 8 to 15 years—

75c and $1.00 values.....**39c**
$1.25 and $1.50 values.....**59c**

(Basement.)

Women's Hose

$1.50 Quality for 98c

WOMEN'S fine gauze, lisle and mousseline Hose; pretty vein stripes; in different patterns; spliced heels and toes; exceptionally fine quality; regular $1.50 grade; at, per pair....**98c**

(Main Floor.)

Men's Underwear

50c Quality at 29c

MEN'S good quality Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers; in plain and fancy colors; blue, brown and pink; seams finished; double gussetted drawers; all sizes; 50c value; per garment **29c**

(Main Floor.)

50c, 75c and $1 Dress Goods, 25c

ALL-WOOL Serges, Henriettas, Nun's Veiling, Mohairs, green and blue checked Brilliantines, black and white Shepherd Checks, Granites, plain Voiles, Rice Voiles, Mixed Suitings, corded Serges, checked Tailor Suiting, etc.; lengths run from 2½ to 8 yards; 38 to 46 inches wide; worth from 50c to $1.00 a yard; at, per yard **25c**

(Main Floor.)

Handkerchiefs

25c Qualities for 12½c

MEN'S and Women's fine quality, pure linen, hemstitched Handkerchiefs; various sizes; perfect in every respect, with the exception that some have rough threads; 25c values.....**12½c**

(Main Floor.)

Sample Belts

50c to 75c Kinds, 15c

WOMEN'S Sample Belts; dozens of different styles; fine silk tailor-made and fancy shirred Girdles; all widths; black, white and colors; 39c, 50c and 75c kinds; at **15c**

(Basement.)

Unusual Values in Women's Oxfords

REMAINING lots of sample Oxfords purchased from Drew, Selby & Co., Portsmouth, O., together with a number of other odd lots, embracing $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00 values; will be offered Friday at $1.98 a pair.

The collection embraces practically every new swell last; they are made of finest quality patent colt and vici kid; sizes run mostly from 3½ to 5, there being only a few of the large sizes from 5½ to 8. In this lot we include a number of Laird's Louis Heel Button Boots, Oxfords and Slippers; narrow widths; sizes 3 to 6; choice of the entire lot, a pair.....**$1.98**

Basement Special

Women's Oxfords; all sizes; patent leather and vici kid; great variety of styles; $1.50 and $2.00 values; at, per pair **98c**

Balcony Special

Misses' and Children's Sample Oxfords, Ribbon Ties and Strap Slippers; sizes 11 to 13; worth $1.50 a pair; at.....**75c**

Balcony Special

Misses' and Children's Patent Colt Gibson and Ribbon Ties; very newest styles; all sizes and widths; $2.00 values....**$1.25**

A Sale of Black Taffeta Silks

REMARKABLY low prices on Black Taffeta Silks; used extensively for Eton coats, jackets, suits, etc.; every yard guaranteed.

45c Black Taffeta, 19-inch, yard, 29c
59c Black Taffeta, 19-inch, yard, 39c
69c Black Taffeta, 19-inch, yard, 49c
89c Black Taffeta, 36-inch, yard, 59c
98c Black Taffeta, 27-inch, yard, 69c
$1.19 Black Taffeta, 27-inch, yard, 79c
$1.39 Black Taffeta, 36-inch, yard, 98c
$1.50 Black Taffeta, 42-inch, yard, 98c
$1.75 Black Taffeta, 42-inch, yard, $1.25

Sample Hosiery at Half Price

A SALE of unusual interest, which provides you with an opportunity to purchase all kinds of hosiery for men, women and children far below value.

10c a pair for Hosiery worth up to 19c—Including Men's, Women's and Children's fast black, fancy striped, solid color and embroidered Cotton Hose; plain and drop stitch.

15c a pair for Hosiery worth up to 35c—Including Men's, Women's and Children's full regular made and seamless Hose; fancy mixtures, fast black, silk embroidered, solid colors and striped Cotton and Lisle Thread; plain and drop stitch; spliced heels and toes.

25c a pair for Hosiery worth up to 75c—Including Men's and Women's imported full regular made novelty Hosiery; some with lace openwork, also embroidered effects; double heels and toes.

49c a pair for Hosiery worth up to $1.25—Including Women's full regular made, imported fancy Hosiery; newest novelties and colors; gauze and lace; pretty patterns; embroidered instep; high spliced heels and double toes.

Handkerchiefs

Women's Splendid Quality Plain White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs; all widths of hem; worth 5c each; in Basement, Friday, at **2c**

Men's Plain White and Colored Border Hemstitched Handkerchiefs; all widths of hem; in Basement, Friday, at.....**4c**

Men's Pure Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs; plain and embroidered initials; in Basement, Friday, at **10c**

Hose Supporters

25c Values 12½c a pair

ABOUT two hundred dozen sample pairs of Women's Pad Hose Supporters; in all the best colors; made with sateen and moire pads; two and four strap lisle elastic and fancy frilled elastic web; patent button ends; worth 25c a pair; at **12½c**

Sample Line W. & J. Sloane's Rugs

On Sale Friday at Almost Half Price

W. & J. SLOANE is one of the largest Carpet concerns in the world. Exclusive designs of the leading manufacturers in the country are confined to them. We secured their sample line of Smyrna Rugs at a great discount, and offer them Friday at almost half the regular selling prices.

Imperial Smyrna Rugs; size 36x72 inches; beautiful patterns; worth $6.25; on sale at **$3.75**

High-Grade Smyrna Rugs; size 36x72 inches; all wool; worth $5.00; on sale at **$2.75**

Axminster Rugs; size 27x54 in.; worth $4.75; at..**$3.25**

Axminster Rugs; size 6x9 ft.; worth $19.00; at....**$13.75**

Wilton Velvet Rugs; 6x9 ft.; worth $17.50; at ...**$12.50**

Axminster Rugs; size 9x12 ft.; worth $25.00; at...**$18.50**

Friday's Feature of the Undermuslin Sale

600 Doz. Women's Gowns Below Value

A SPECIAL purchase of six hundred dozen Gowns accounts for these remarkable values. Every garment is thoroughly well made; amply full; all daintily trimmed; a woman of economical turn of mind will make provisions for the future.

Gowns at 69c, worth 89c—Of cambric and muslin; slipover, high and V-shaped neck; yoke of lace, embroidery, insertion and tucks; finished with lace edge on neck and sleeves **69c**

Gowns at 49c, Worth 69c—Of muslin; high and V-shape neck; yoke of hemstitched tucks and embroidery insertion; finished with hemstitched ruffle on neck and sleeves **49c**

Gowns at 85c, Worth $1.25—Of nainsook and cambric; slipover, square, round and high neck styles; prettily trimmed with lace, embroidery insertion and ribbon beading; elbow sleeves, finished with lace edged ruffle; 15 styles; at.....**85c**

Gowns at $1.49, Worth $2.00—Of soft nainsook; slipover or round neck styles; trimmed with Val., Point de Paris lace insertion and ribbon beading; flowing sleeves, with deep ruffle of lace **$1.49**

Gowns at $1.98, Worth $2.50—Of fine nainsook; trimmed with fine lace, nainsook embroidery, with French medallions; slipover, high, round and square neck styles.....**$1.98**

Special Sale Screen Doors

All made of 1⅛-inch stock. Come in all sizes. Complete with hardware.

Adjustable Window Screens—24 inches high—extends to 37 inches...**25c**
Adjustable Window Screens—30 inches high—extends to 37 inches...**30c**

Garden Hose Outfit, as illustrated, consisting of 50 feet of 3-ply ¾-inch guaranteed Garden Hose, complete with brass couplings, brass "Boston" spray nozzle and hardwood hose reel; complete outfit Friday at **$4.85**

Peerless Iceland Freezers

Without a doubt the best crank Ice Cream Freezer made; special prices prevail Friday—

1-quart size **$1.45**
2-quart size **$1.79**
3-quart size **$1.98**
4-quart size **$2.49**
6-quart size **$3.25**

Come and Choose From a Thousand of Our Finest Tailor-Made Suits and Pay One-Half Price

We are offering about one thousand of our finest tailor-made Suits without reserve at one-half the marked prices. Each suit bears the original price ticket. They are exceedingly good value at the figure; however, you are required to pay simply one-half. It's an extraordinary saving opportunity.

There are various Eton Suits, with or without belt, Pony Coat Suits, Reefer Suits, Tourist Coat Suits, Box Coat Suits and other styles; made up of plain or chiffon Panama, French Voiles, etc.; some of them plain tailored; others elaborately trimmed; every color and shade is represented; plenty of the popular grays, blues, tans, rose, reseda, Alice and white and black; many of them entirely made over taffeta silk.

$10.00 Tailor-Made Suits for... $5.00
$14.75 Tailor-Made Suits for... $7.38
$19.75 Tailor-Made Suits for... $9.88
$24.75 Tailor-Made Suits for...$12.38
$35.00 Tailor-Made Suits for...$17.50
$50.00 Tailor-Made Suits for...$25.00
$75.00 Tailor-Made Suits for...$35.50
$100.00 Tailor-Made Suits for...$50.00

Four Very Special Values in Shirt-Waist Suits and Skirts

Shirt-Waist Suits

WOMEN'S White Lawn Shirt-Waist Suits; elaborately trimmed with lace and embroidery insertion; short Eton sleeves; skirts trimmed to match; $5 value; at **$2.98**

Voile Skirts

WOMEN'S Walking Skirts of French voile; in various styles; full circular gored, circular plaited and kilted effects; trimmed with taffeta self folds; worth $10.00; at **$6.95**

Wash Skirts

WOMEN'S White Wash Skirts, of excellent quality Indian Head duck; circular gored style, with bias fold at bottom; on sale Friday at **$1.50**

Wash Skirts

STUNNING Wash Skirts of fine quality imported duck; in pink, light blue, white and lavender; gored flare style, habit back; open in front; six large pearl buttons.....**$3.98**

75c Allover Laces, 39c Yd.

These goods are in great demand for waists, yokes, etc.; very newest patterns; Point Gauze, Oriental and Valenciennes; 18 and 20 inches wide; 75c quality; per yard.....**39c**

The popular Baby Irish Allovers; worth to $2.00 a yard; per yard **98c**

Cambric Embroideries; all neat pretty patterns; every yard perfect; full pieces; on special sale at, per yard.....**12½c**

Dainty Val. Laces Far Below Value

Val. Lace and Inserting; worth 45c dozen yards; at **25c**
Val. Lace and Inserting; worth 75c dozen yards; at **39c**
Val. Lace and Inserting; worth $1.00 dozen yards; at **49c**

Appliques, Point de Venice, in straight floral and medallion designs; in white and cream; at half price.

Silk Ruching; in all colors; white and black; worth 25c a yard; on sale Friday at, per yard **10c**

Lace Parasol Covers; worth $1.00; at.....**49c**
Hand-embroidered French Waist Patterns; worth $4.00; at.....**$1.98**
Real Linen Torchon Laces; per yard.....**10c** and **12½c**

A Special Offering in Basement Lace Section

Immense collection of all sorts of Laces and Embroideries; ranging in value up to 20c a yard; on sale at, per yard.....**5c**

Here are abundant reasons why you should

Visit the Drapery Section Friday

Single Lace Curtains; full size; worth to $3 a pair; each...**29c**

Single pairs of Irish Point and Brussels Lace Curtains; season's accumulation; worth to $6.00 a pair; per curtain **98c**

Window Shades; slightly streaked in painting, otherwise perfect; mounted on good spring rollers; worth to 60c each; at **12½c**

Irish Point Door Panels; many different patterns; full size; worth 39c each; at..**19c**

Lambrequin Drapes for mantels or pianos; French sateen; nicely fringed; odd lots; worth to $1.00 each; at.....**43c**

Tapestry Table Covers; fringed all around; in red or green; one yard square; worth 50c each; at **25c**

Tapestry Table Covers; reversible; red or green; fringed; 6-4 size; worth $1.50; at **89c**

Odd patterns and colorings of figured Cretonnes, Denims and Burlaps; can be used for many different purposes; worth 19c and 25c a yard; at **10c**

Three-fold Oak Frame Screens; filled with figured silkoline; worth $1.39, at **75c**

One Thousand pairs of Nottingham Lace Curtains; many different patterns; of heavy net; worth $1.50 and $1.75 a pair; at..**$1.00**

Fringed Tapestry Couch Covers, in rich colorings; 60 inches wide; fringed all around; worth $2.25; at **$1.49**

A Sale of Remnants in the Bargain Basement

Bleached and unbleached Turkish Bath Towels; worth 20c; at **12½c**

Remnants of solid colored Suitings; blues, grays, champagne and red; highly mercerized; worth 35c a yard; at **15c**

Remnants of fancy printed Kimono Cloth; Japanese style; worth 15c a yard; at...**7½c**

Remnants of fine quality Irish Dimities; small black and colored figures; worth 15c a yard; at **9c**

Remnants of fancy woven striped Shirting Madras; lengths 2 to 10 yards; worth 15c a yard; at **7½c**

Remnants of light and colored fancy checked and figured, printed cotton wool-finish Batiste; worth 15c a yard; at **6½c**

Fancy Linens

A number of fancy pieces of Linens, embracing Scarfs, Squares, Doylies and Table Cloths; drawn and open-work effects; all more or less soiled; on sale in Basement at half the regular prices.

Remnants of solid black Silk Mulls; lengths to 6 yards; 12½c grade; yard.....**5c**

Remnants of White Drapery Swiss; 36 inch; lengths to 10 yards; 15c grade; yard.**7½c**

Remnants of 32-inch white India Linen; lengths to 8 yds.; 10c grade; yard.....**5c**

Remnants of 40-inch white Lawn; lengths to 6 yards; 10c grade; yard **5c**

More of Those Remarkable Values in

Wash Goods Bought of H. B. Claflin & Co.

Are Offered for Friday's Selling—For Example:

Dress Lawns, in white, with black, pink and blue figures; fast colors; worth 5c a yard; three cases at, per yard **2½c**

Cotton Challies, fancy printed, in all the newest colorings; worth 7½c a yard; on sale at.....**3½c**

Dress Lawns, fancy printed, in very desirable patterns; sheer quality; worth 7½c a yard; two cases on sale at **4c**

Imperial Chambrays, linen finish, in pink and white checks only; usually sold at 19c a yard; two cases on sale at.....**9c**

Belfast Rep Cotton Skirting; extra heavy; just the thing for Summer wear; worth 15c a yard; 80 pieces on sale at **5c**

Batiste, fancy printed, dark and light styles; worth 15c a yard; 200 pieces on sale at, yard..**6½c**

Swiss Mulls, in fancy printed dots, figures and stripes; light and dark colorings; never sold for less than 15c a yard; six cases on sale at, per yard.....**7½c**

Oxford Suiting, fine mercerized, in white with black dots of different sizes; worth 19c a yard; 60 pieces on sale at **7½c**

Batiste Lawn, fine quality, fancy printed; navy blue ground with white figures and stripes; these goods have slight pin-hole imperfections; if perfect would be worth 15c a yard; at.....**5c**

Dotted Silk Organdy, fancy printed, in the most beautiful colorings shown; goods that retail at 50c a yard; one case on sale at....**23c**

Zephyr Gingham, fancy plaid, all the newest combinations; 32 inches wide; worth 19c a yard; two cases on sale at.....**10c**

Remnants fancy striped Wool Scotch Flannels; lengths to 5 yards; worth up to 35c a yard; at **15c**

Remnants of 27-inch wool Cassimeres for boys' pants; worth 75c a yard; at...**25c**

Remnants of 18-inch brown Linen Toweling; lengths to 10 yards; worth 10c a yard; at **5c**

Remnants of white checked Nainsook; lengths to 10 yards; worth 10c a yd.; at **5c**

Remnants of White Goods, more or less mussed and soiled; embracing white dotted Swiss, mercerized Madras, etc.; lengths to 8 yards; worth to 35c a yard; at..**15c**

Remnants of white India Linens; 32 inch; lengths to 8 yards; worth to 20c a yard; at **10c**

3 O'Clock Special

At 3 o'clock we will place on sale 65 pieces of fancy printed, double face Wash Suitings; in gray, blue and green mixtures, with small printed figures; worth 12½c a yard; at.....**5c**

Great Millinery Offering

A SPLENDID assortment of Trimmed Hats; all clever modes; some are just a little mussed; our regular $4.00, $5.00 and $6.00 lines; on sale Friday at.....**$2.98**

Extensive variety of Trimmed Hats; most exclusive popular styles; every hat made in our own workrooms; formerly priced $7.00, $8.00 and $10.00; a few of them show very slight trace of having been handled; choice of the lot **$4.98**

Chip Hats, Milan Hats and Braid Hats; very best shapes; light summer colors; clean, fresh stock; $2.00 quality; Friday at **49c**

Handmade Hats; all odd lots; made of fine material: Chiffons, Peroxyline Braids, Malines, etc.; $2.50 and $3 values; slightly mussed; choice of the lot.....**98c**

A large collection of nice, clean Flowers, Crushed Roses, three in a bunch, Geraniums, June Roses, American Beauties, etc.; worth 25c a bunch; choice.....**15c**

Foliage; nice large bunches; all fine leaf foliage; at per bunch **5c**

SENATE BODY INDORSES SEA LEVEL CANAL

But Congress Is Not Expected to Support Committee's Decision.

ROOSEVELT TO FIGHT IT

Should Specific Legislation Be Prevented, President Will Construct Locks.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—A sea level canal across the Isthmus of Panama has been formally indorsed by the Senate Committee on Interoceanic Canals and Senator Kittredge will present his bill at an early date. It will be opposed in the Senate by all the influence of the President, and he will exert all his power to prevent legislation on this feature. It is not considered that any bill for a sea level type can be enacted. If the Senate should support the measure it will fall in the House.

In the absence of specific legislation the President will construct a lock canal, in accordance with the recommendations submitted by the advisory board of consulting engineers. He has full authority to adopt this course under the Spooner act, authorizing the building of a waterway.

It is estimated that a sea level canal will cost $100,000,000 more than a lock canal. The sea level is estimated to cost $235,000,000, while the lock is placed at $135,000,000. It is estimated that 12 years would be required to complete a sea level canal, while the lock may be finished eight years. Experts admit that as the sea level canal is merely a question of digging, the time estimated for its construction might be reduced below the estimate.

The great dam at Gatun, which some engineers hold to be impossible, would not be necessary in a sea level canal. A dam at Gatuboa would then be constructed. There is a firm rock foundation at that point and no question of practicability has been raised.

The advantages of a sea level canal are that the time required for the passage of vessels is greatly reduced; delays in lockage are avoided; all the usual dangers which attend the passage of large vessels through locks would be entirely avoided; there would be no necessity for great masonry work; it would be more durable and require less in the way of repairs.

FACTORY BUILDERS TALK OF EAST SIDE

Will Put $1,000,000 Car Plant There if St. Louis Doesn't Want It.

DELEGATES' WAR DELAYS

Ordinance Concerning Livelihood of 20,000 Held Up by Factional Fight.

The bill authorizing the American Car and Foundry Co., to use Louisa and Lynch streets, east of Second street, in connection with property already acquired, as a site for a mammoth car factory which will give employment to 7,000 men, has been delayed by the committee on public improvements of the House of Delegates, because of the pending controversy between the majority and minority faction of that body, according to Scott H. Blewitt, general agent of the corporation.

"The officials of the American Car and Foundry Co. feel confident the House intends to pass our bill and will probably take favorable action on it Friday night," said Mr. Blewitt, to a Post-Dispatch reporter Thursday.

"It is unfortunate that this legislation, which we so earnestly desire should come at a time when the House is divided into warring factions.

"The suggestion in some quarters that the bill has been held up in committee owing to our failure to offer so-called alluring inducements to the delegates is utterly baseless and unwarranted.

Blewitt Knows of No Graft.

"If there has been any attempt to graft or the slightest contemplation of dishonesty in connection with this bill the American Car and Foundry Co. knows nothing of it.

"On the contrary, I may say we have the most complete confidence in the integrity of the delegates and we are assured they intend to do their duty.

"We preferred prompter action, of course. When the Council passed the bill and it was referred to the House I urged Mr. Wiedmer to take up the bill for immediate action. He answered that the House was in the habit of doing things that way.

"We are not complaining because Mr. Wiedmer and his associates see fit to investigate the measure in all its phases before submitting it to the House. The bill has been in committee about two weeks, not an unusual length of time, in our judgment.

"While we would like to have the bill passed at once, we are not disposed to dictate to the delegates. If it is their pleasure not to pass the bill there will be nothing for the American Car and Foundry Co. to do but select another site.

If Not Here, Then in Madison.

"We have plans for a $1,000,000 factory in St. Louis and this, together with railroad and other facilities to be installed, would make the cost of locating here considerably more than across the river.

"We own a large tract of property at Madison, and if St. Louis doesn't care for the factory, which will be the means of support for 20,000 persons, we will simply build at Madison.

"That is all there is to this proposition. We do not feel that we are asking too much of St. Louis. If we are then we can very speedily change our plans. I know we would not want long for inducements to go elsewhere."

DO YOU KNOW

All the merchants advertise "Ready-to-Wear" bargains in the Post-Dispatch every Friday.

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS PAINT STEPS GREEN

Hieroglyphics Daubed on Spotless Corridors of Central High Building.

EXPULSION IF CAUGHT

Principal Bryan Calls Act Vandalism, but Girls Say "Class Spirit."

Several enthusiastic young men, members of the graduating class of the Central High School, gained entrance to the school building early Thursday morning painted artistic green signs on the immaculate floors of the corridors and on the steps outside, and then flew the class pennant from the school's flagpole and cut the rope half way up.

Principal W. J. S. Bryan, after watching the futile efforts of a corps of workmen to remove the paint, said that the escapade was a piece of vandalism.

Several of the girl members of the class said those who did the painting showed "they had a lot of class spirit and a class which wouldn't do such a thing didn't have any gumption."

Charles Sharpe, president of the class, says the work was not done with the consent of the officers of the class and he knew nothing about it. He said he thought it "a shame."

The heaviest painting was done on the outside of the building. The north steps were covered with what resembled Egyptian hieroglyphics. Inside the door there is a line of irregular daubs on the winding stairs, and then on the second corridor floors and on the stairs leading to the south entrance.

"Booxer" and "Doper."

In one of the corridors appear the two words, "boozer" and "doper," painted in bold characters.

Whether these refer to some member of the faculty whose popularity is on the wane, or whether they are simply the secret slogans of the class is a question which the school authorities say they cannot answer. The members of the guilty class look wise and say nothing.

The class colors are green and purple, and the green and purple pennant on the flagpole is about twelve feet long.

After attaching this pennant to the flagpole rope, the mischief-makers tied a stone to the rope. Then they pulled the stone and pennant to the top of the pole and cut the rope. The stone pulled up the end of the rope.

"This cannot be construed," said Prof. Bryan, to a Post-Dispatch reporter, "to be anything but plain vandalism. If I can discover the perpetrators I will certainly expel them from the school if they are students here.

"I encourage class spirit that is constructive—that will build up the class. But this is purely destructive. There is no excuse for such conduct.

"I do not blame the class. I think it was done by those who were not acting in accordance with the spirit of the class. I will begin an investigation at once."

The graduating exercises of the class will be held at the Odeon June 14. There are 120 members of the class, two-thirds of whom are girls.

Van Cleave National President.

J. W. Van Cleave of St. Louis was elected president of the National Association of Manufacturers at the closing session of the convention in New York City Wednesday. The convention will meet next year in St. Louis. Francis H. Stillman was elected treasurer.

FEDERAL PENAL CODE REVISION

Reading of Measure Will Take Two Weeks of Congress' Time.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—The House will hold a session tonight for the reading of the bill codifying the laws of the United States. No other business will be transacted at these night sessions.

Chairman Moon of the committee on revision of the laws, estimates that it will require at least ten days or two weeks to read the bill.

The bill deals only with the penal code and consists of more than 1000 sections. It is the intention of the committee to try to get through the penal code only at this session.

Take your Turkish bath at the new Belcher Hotel, Fourth and Lucas.

REVOLUTIONIST'S TORMENTOR SLAIN

Russian Police Officer Who Maltreated Maria Spiridonovo Is Shot.

TAMBOFF, Russia, May 17.—Zhanoff, a police officer who participated in the brutal maltreatment of Maria Spiridonovo, was shot and killed on the streets here today by an unidentified person. The avengers of the young revolutionist recently meted out the same fate at Borissoglebsk to Abramoff, the Cossack officer who bosted of his cruelty to her while she was in prison.

Maria Spiridonovo, the young daughter of a Russian General, shot and killed Chief of Police Luzhenoffsky of Tamboff. She was condemned to be hanged, but her sentence was commuted to 20 years' imprisonment. The girl was horribly treated in prison immediately after committing the crime by Abramoff and another Cossack officer.

SUMMER COLONY SWEPT BY FIRE

24 Cottages and Railroad Station at Monmouth Beach, Mass., Destroyed.

MONUMENT BEACH, Mass., May 17.—Fire swept through the summer cottage settlement here early today. Twenty-four cottages and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Station were destroyed.

The loss is estimated at $60,000.

His Busy Moment.

From Judy.

"Did I see you kissing my daughter?"

"I was too much occupied at the time to notice."

EXPERTS DECLARE PATRICK INNOCENT

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 17.—William Marsh Rice was not murdered by Albert T. Patrick or anybody else, according to a report of a committee of the Medico-Legal Society.

"There is not an unprejudiced medical mind in the world," said Clark Bell at a meeting of the society last night at the Waldorf, "who would believe that if a sponge saturated with chloroform, was placed over the face of a living man who was asleep, it would cause death if he was left alone for thirty minutes. The first struggle that the man made would dislodge and throw off the towel.

"It is not likely that the statement made by Valet Jones of the method of killing Rice by inhalation of chloroform has a single element of truth."

ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE This signature Allen S. Olmsted on every box. For FREE Trial Package, Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

A Certain Cure for Tired, Hot, Aching Feet. DO NOT ACCEPT A SUBSTITUTE.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS!

A North St. Louis Store Sells Its Entire Stock to the Globe!

Free Roses! Sweet Fresh Flowers. White, pink and yellow fresh cut Roses, free to all ladies tomorrow.

Entire Stock of Phil Albrecht, 3508 and 3510 N. 11th St., One of the Leading Retailers of "Queen Quality" Shoes, "American Lady" Shoes, Etc., Captured by the Globe at 62½c on the $

SALE STARTS TOMORROW AT 8 A. M. Albrecht's, for years the leading store in his locality, carried only the most dependable merchandise. Only the most exclusive, up-to-date novelties, including such standard makes as "Queen Quality" Shoes, "American Lady" Shoes, "Julia Marlowe" Shoes being in evidence. Retiring from business, they accepted a spot cash offer of 62½c on the dollar for this select stock; and the most remarkable values offered to St. Louis shoppers in many moons will be on hand at the Globe tomorrow. When the Globe buys out a store there's something doing.

25c a Pair for Albrecht's 1.50 High and Low Shoes

Albrecht's High and Low Shoes, none worth less than 1.50, and many worth more; Sale Price 25c

Albrecht's Men's 1.00 Slippers; Sale Price 39c

Albrecht's Misses' Shoes and Strap Slippers; Sale Price 60c

50c for Albrecht's 1.50 Men's Shoes and Slippers

Albrecht's Ladies' 2.00 Shoes; all sizes; Sale Price 1.00

Albrecht's Children's Shoes and Strap Slippers; Sale Price 25c

Albrecht's Ladies' 2.50 Oxfords; Sale Price 75c

Albrecht's Ladies' 2.00 Shoes; Sale Price 95c

Globe — FRANKLIN AVE. AND SEVENTH ST.

WE GIVE AND GUARANTEE GOLD STAMPS

1.49 for Queen Quality Low Shoes

Albrecht's ladies' 2.50 high and low shoes, in patent leather and fine vici kid; Sale Price 1.45

Albrecht's ladies' 75c serge leather and fancy velvet house slippers, with solid leather soles; Sale Price 25c

Albrecht's boys', youths' and little gents' shoes, worth from $1.50 up; Sale Price 95c

Albrecht's misses' and children's 1.50 and 2.00 shoes and slippers; Sale Price 95c

Albrecht's men's 2.00 shoes, all styles, single and double soles; Sale Price 95c

Albrecht's men's 3.00 shoes; Sale Price 1.75

Albrecht's ladies' 3.00 high and low shoes, in tan, patent leather and fine vici kid; Sale Price 1.95

Albrecht's men's 1.50 slippers in tan and black, Everett and opera cuts; Sale Price 75c

Silks at 10c a Yard

8000 yards more of the Louisine and Taffeta Silks, in every color and shade, at, per yard ..... 10 Cents

35c White Wash Silk, 20 in. wide ... 19c

1.25 Black Guaranteed Taffeta Silk, yard wide ... 69c

25c Silk Mulls; every color; 27 inches wide ... 12½c

50c Dolly Varden Silk Chiffon Suiting ... 25c

1.00 Black Sicilian Mohair, 52 inches wide ... 48c

75c Cream Brilliantine, 40 inches wide ... 39c

12½c for 35c and 40c Oriental Laces

35c and 40c Oriental Lace Flouncing, up to 9 inches wide, yard ... 12½c

40c and 50c Corset-Cover Embroideries, in remnants up to 2 yards; yard ... 18c

5c and 7½c Laces and Insertings ... 1c

7½c and 10c Laces and Embroideries ... 3c

12½c and 15c Laces and Embroideries ... 5c

40c and 50c fine Val. Lace Edgings and Insertings, all choice new patterns, per dozen ... 19c

1.00 Oriental Allover Lace, for waists and yokes, newest designs, yard ... 49c

20c and 25c Laces and Embroideries ... 8½c

30c and 35c Laces and Embroideries ... 10c

At 9 a. m. for 1 Hour Only

10c Blue Dress Chambray; only 1 pattern to each customer; per yard ... 3c

At 2 p. m. for 1 Hour Only

12½c White Lonsdale Cambric; yard wide; only 10 yards to each customer ... 5c

Waist Sale! 90c for Charming 2.00 to 3.50 White Waists!

Sounds fishy don't it? But the Waists are here to back up the statement and if you see them you'll buy 2 or 3 of them!

Beautiful Persian Lawns, Dotted Swisses, Dainty Lingerie Lawns and Linens; all exquisitely trimmed with several rows of embroidery and Val. lace down the front, forming a V-shaped yoke; elbow or long sleeves; others with handsome allover embroidery front, very dainty and elaborate patterns; tomorrow, choice at ... 90c

4.45 for $8 Panama Dress Skirts

Walking-length Skirts, in Panama, brilliantine, beautiful light grays, in solid colors and mixtures—also large plaids—full circular flare, with fold at the bottom; button trimmed; at ... 4.45

75c for 1.50 Waists

Handsome white or colored Waists—regular 1.50 quality—on sale for one day only, at ... 75c

98c for 2.50 Shirt-Waist Suits

Made of wash materials, in black and white checks and fancy-figured percales; also white India linen, trimmed with embroidery; waist neatly tucked; at ... 98c

1.49 for 3.00 Shirt-Waist Suits.

In solid-color chambray, black lawn, blue and white polka dot and linen, all beautifully trimmed with lace and piping, at ... 1.49

1.49 for 3.00 Wash Skirts

In beautiful fancy mixture linens and white Indian head; neatly tucked or plaited, embroidery trimmed, at ... 1.49

2.49 for New 5.00 Skirts

Come in Panama, brilliantine, all-wool black and white checks; also beautiful plaids; made in the new circular flare or full plaited effects; tomorrow at ... 2.49

69c for 1.25 Rope Portieres

6.50 Ingrain Room Rugs, 9x12 feet ... 3.50

35c Jap Matting, carpet patterns ... 19c

12½c Twilled Cretonne Drapery ... 7½c

65c Floor Linoleum, standard quality ... 39c

2.50 Wilton Velvet Rugs, 27x54-inch ... 1.35

6.00 Heavy Iron Bed; all colors; full size ... 2.98

95c Pair for 2.00 Lace Curtains

300 pairs Scotch Nottingham Lace Curtains; 3½ yards long, 50 and 54 inches wide; in all new patterns; regular 2.00 quality; Friday at, pair ... 95c

15c for 25c Muslin Drawers

Women's Muslin Drawers; yoke band and deep cambric ruffle; 25c kind ... 15c

Children's Night Gowns; good muslin; ruffled neck and sleeves; 39c kind ... 25c

10c Dress Challies, New Patterns, 3¾c

10c Dolly Varden Dress Lawns ... 5c

8 1-3c Unbleached Fringed Towels; large size ... 3½c

10c Dress Percales; yard wide ... 5c

15c White Butcher's Linen Suiting; 36 inches wide ... 7½c

8 1-3c Amoskeag Apron Ginghams ... 5c

12½c Bookfold White India Linen ... 6½c

39c Unbleached Bed Sheets; not hemmed; 63x81 ... 25c

19c Colored Dress Swiss, in dots and figures ... 8⅓c

35c Bleached Table Damask, 58 in. wide ... 19c

10c Dress Ginghams, Spring styles ... 4½c

10c for Silk Embroidered Hose

Women's Silk Embroidered Hose; full seamless, fast black; double heel and toe; 19c kind ... 10c

Women's Bleached Vests; taped neck and arms; 15c value, Friday ... 7½c

98c for $3 and $4 Hats

A chance purchase of 50 dozen Ready-to-Wear Hats, mostly tailor-made of fine braids, chips, Milans and Tuscans; suitable for ladies, misses or children; your choice of the lot, up to 5.00 values, Friday ... 98c

5.00 Trimmed Hats, 2.50

300 Sample Trimmed Hats of finest silk braids, trimmed with best materials; no two alike; positively 5.00 values; tomorrow ... 2.50

1c for a Dozen Safety Pins

Pure Castile Soap; 2 cakes for ... 1c

Pearl Buttons; all sizes; 2 dozen for ... 1c

Children's Hose Supporters; regular 10c kind; per pair ... 5c

Fine Combs; unbreakable; 10c value ... 5c

Pure Green Castile Soap; 3 cakes in a box; worth 25c a box ... 10c

Box of 24 sheets fine Writing Paper and 24 Envelopes; worth 15c; per box ... 5c

Fishnet Shopping Bags; large size and extra strong leather handles; 25c kind ... 10c

5c for Embroidered Wash Belts

5000 more of those dainty White Embroidered Linen Belts, in all sizes; they're worth 25c; until sold ... 5c

Lace Coat Sets; large size Cuffs and Collars; an importer's samples; worth up to $2 a set; your choice ... 50c

Swiss Embroidered Turnover Collars; sell regularly at 15c; special ... 3c

Lace Cape Collars; large sizes; worth up to 1.50; each ... 50c

Linen Bolero Jackets; military style; latest craze; with 2.50; extra ... 1.50

Suit Snap!

Choice of Men's and Young Men's $10, $11 and 12.50 Suits, $8

500 Elegant Fancy Worsted, Serge, Thibet and Cassimere Suits, from the regular 10.00, 11.00 and 12.50 stocks; not many sizes in any one lot, but over 50 lots, and all sizes to choose from; for just one day, free choice of these Suits at ... $8

Don't overlook this.

Sheet Music at ½

On an Automobile Honeymoon — When the Mocking Birds Are Singing—Why Don't You Try?—Colleen Bawn (new)—In a Hammock Built for Two—When the Whippoor-Will Sings, Marguerite—Just a Little Rocking Chair and You—Sweethearts May Come and Sweethearts May Go—and all others ... 10c

Boys' $2 and $3 Eton Coats, 25c

Boys' Eton Coats with Fancy Vests; sizes 3, 4 and 5 only; made of the finest worsted and cassimeres; worth $2 and $3 ... 25c

2.25 for Boys' 3.50 Suits

Big Special for Friday Only—Choice of 300 nobby Suits; worsteds, homespuns, blue serges; worth in a regular way 3.50; for one day ... 2.25

Boys' 50c Waists, 25c

"Star" and "Mother's Friend"—standard 50c; new patterns—tomorrow at ... 25c

Boys' Wash Suit Sale

50c for 75c Suits.

75c for 1.50 Suits.

FREE! Baseball Outfit!

Genuine Louisville Slugger Bat and A. J. Reach Ball; A. J. Reach Catcher's Mitt, Fielder's Glove, with Boys' Suits at 1.95 and above.

Self-Opening Umbrellas AT 69c

Full 28 inches; mercerized twill; natural wood handles; 1.00 kind, 69c

Ladies' Lisle Gloves, 15c

Imported Washable Lisle Gloves; with patent clasp; sell regularly at 25c; on sale at ... 15c

Long Lace Mitts; large sizes; as long as they last ... 49c

All-Silk Ribbons, 2c

3000 yards more of those All-Silk Taffeta Ribbons; every color; worth 5c per yard ... 2c

All-Silk Baby Ribbons; all colors; 2 yards for ... 1c

Half-inch Satin Ribbons; all colors; 10-yard bolt for ... 15c

4-inch Heavy Black Taffeta Ribbons; worth 25c a yard; special ... 10c

3½-inch White Satin Ribbons; all silk; sell regularly at 25c a yard ... 15c

4-inch Persian or Dolly Varden Ribbons; worth 50c a yard; extra ... 25c

Black Velvet Ribbon; all silk; worth 25c a yard ... 10c

BABY INCUBATOR HATCHED ROMANCE

Trained Nurse Wins Rich Husband by Her Devotion to His Child.

PORTLAND, Me., May 15.—Miss Lillian Brown, a trained nurse, who was married last night to Harold S. Forbes, a wealthy merchant of this city, first won her husband's heart when, by her delicate skill and devotion, she saved the life of his baby boy, who was reared in an incubator after the death of Mr. Forbes' first wife three years ago.

Changing Off.

From the Cleveland Leader.

"It must be awfully hard on the poor street car conductors, standing on their feet all day."

"Oh, I don't know. You must remember that they stand on the passengers' feet a good deal of the time."

To Michigan June 6.

Advance sleepers via Illinois Central, leave St. Louis 11:45 a. m. Regular daily service begins June 24, 1906.

Where Goes the Blaze?

"Mamma," queried 3-year-old Mabel, with a puzzled air, "when you turn out the gas where does the blaze go?"

Garland's

Friday Sales differ from our every other day sales only in prices which are very materially reduced in accord with custom on Friday in St. Louis. The garments on sale are the same high-grade productions of the best makers in the world (New York tailors). Elegant in every detail, perfectly tailored and thoroughly up-to-date.

Waists at 98 cts. Handsome Waists of fine batiste and India linon; well made, full cut and profusely trimmed with lace and embroidery in combination with tucks and pleating.

Very elegant Waists of fine lawn, mull and India linon, very handsomely trimmed with Val. lace, embroidery medallions, and back and front tucking; long or elbow sleeves. **Waists for $1.98**

Waists at $2.98 Beautiful Waists of extra fine lawn, batiste and India linon, most elaborately trimmed with German Val., handsome Swiss insertions and motifs—an elegant Waist—worth $5.00.

The College Waist.

An elegant Waist in its simplicity; plain negligee or with shirt pleats; soft roll collar and cuffs, with sailor knotted tie, much affected by Vassar, Wesleyan and other colleges; made in fine lawn or all linen; prices ranging from..... **$1.98 to $4.98**

Thomas N. Garland. 409 N. Broadway.

Rosenheim Toggery Shop St. Louis

Waist Attractions

Tennis Shirt—novelty—allover embroidery and finished with turndown collar; short sleeve with turnback linen cuff and mannish tie.

Waist Special—Allover embroidery, with 5 large medallions, trimmed with Val. lace; price, **$3.50.**

200 styles dainty Waists, range of price, **75c** to **$5.00.**

Big Sacrifice in the Skirt Room

Skirts—In circular, flare and pleated styles, in Panama, plain and fancy weaves, from **$4.50** to **$10.00.** Also a few summer flannels, price **$4.50** and **$5.50.**

Ask to see our **extra sizes** in blue, grey and black Panama; reduced to cost.

Rosenheim Toggery Shop

512—LOCUST ST.—512

WE have one hundred and thirty-six Roll-Top Desks left, which are discontinued patterns and which we will put on sale beginning Friday, May 18. These desks will be closed out at actual factory cost in order to make room for new goods.

The biggest desk values ever heard of. Fifty, sixty and seventy-five dollar finely figured quarter-sawed golden oak, and genuine mahogany pieces at from

$25 to $45

Don't fail to take advantage of this opportunity. First come first served.

Derby Desk Company

The Only Exclusive Office Furniture House in St. Louis,

1109 Olive Street.

MRS. JEFFERSON DAVIS SINKING AFTER RELAPSE

Oxygen Used to Prolong Life of Confederate President's Widow.

PNEUMONIA DEVELOPED

Recently Declared Out of Danger, Condition Now Is Critical.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Mrs. Jefferson Davis, widow of the president of the Confederacy, who has been ill at the Hotel Gerard since a week ago last Monday, is believed to be dying. Her daughter, Mrs. J. Addison Hayes, and her grandchildren, Jefferson Hayes Davis, a student at Princeton University, and his sister, are at her bedside.

It is said she no longer responds to powerful stimulants as promptly as the doctors wish.

Dr. Robert H. Wylie, who is attending Mrs. Davis, said today that she is now suffering from pneumonia. After a sinking spell early today she revived and slept for several hours.

Mrs. Davis suffered a relapse and early today her condition was admitted to be serious. During the morning hours the physicians used oxygen to keep her alive.

Mrs. Davis, who is advanced in years, has been failing recently, and about two weeks ago experienced an attack of grip, which for a time greatly alarmed her friends. Later, however, she showed marked improvement and recently was declared to be out of danger.

Last night there was a decided change for the worse and Dr. Wiley, who was hastily summoned, remained for several hours with the patient. At his direction the patient's respiration was maintained by artificial means.

Mrs. Davis celebrated her eightieth birthday on Monday two weeks ago. On that day she went for a drive and contracted a cold.

DRAINED PONDS TO ROUT FROGS

Residents of Alta Sita, East St. Louis, Can Now Sleep of Nights.

HARVEST FOR NEGROES

They Followed the Graders and Caught Scores of the Chorus Singers.

The bull-dog colony of Alta Sita, East St. Louis' fashionable residence suburb, have lost their happy homes, but fourteen ponds and lakes in the surrounding territory had to be drained to accomplish the defeat of the frogs and their rag-time megaphone melody.

The lakes and ponds were drained by E. W. Hartman, a grading contractor, following the publication of the frog story in the Post-Dispatch recently. The contract was let by Finis P. Ernest, a resident of Alta Sita, and a wealthy land owner of that district. The price to be paid for draining was $458.

With the advent of Mr. Hartman, assisted by five teams and a host of workmen, the frogs renewed their melodious efforts, but as each pond was drained, there was one colony less, and the chorus grew weaker to that extent. As the work was begun on the last pond, it seemed that the frogs realized that they were making their last stand, but the persistence of the crusade of anihilation begun by the citizens had won the battle, and their defeat was complete.

Harvest for Frog-Catchers.

During the draining process the negroes living in the vicinity have reaped a harvest, and as each lake was dained the negroes waded into the pools and bagged frogs. One negro, George Klingman, is said to have caught 165 full-grown frogs in one day, using the sleeves of a raincoat as a basket. With the sleeves of the coat tied tightly around his wrists, he poked the frogs in the sleeves until they would hold no more, and then went to market. Others adopted like methods, but there was enough for all and business has been good in that line for o week.

The cause of the trouble was the high water in the Mississippi River, which backed up in Pittsburg Lake, overflowing the lowlands. The heavy rains of early spring completed the work of filling up the ditches and ponds. With the water came the frogs. With the coming of spring, their growth increased rapidly, which likewise increased their vocal powers, until the residents were compelled to devise ways and means for the rout of the denizens of the deep.

Petition Idea Dropped.

It was at first decided to petition the City Council for aid in dredging the lakes, but the publication of their dilemma hurried their action, and Mr. Ernest came to the rescue and made the contract on his own responsibility—and now the residents can sleep.

In some places the old township canal had to be opened up for a mile, in order to allow some of the ponds to drain, the water having backed up during the rise, but when the river fell, the water could not flow out of many low places. The property in Alta Sita proper is high enough, but it was from the lowlands surrounding it that the trouble came as the frogs bellowed their chorus, talking to each other from the different ponds, the discordant songs being wafted across lots, thus driving the residents to desperation.

The gatherings on the Alta Sita street corners by the residents to talk over the situation have ceased.

On the Contrary.

From the Cleveland Leader

Bessie: Why, that man's too old for you to marry!

Jessie: He's too rich not to.

Help.

From the Princeton Tiger.

"The interest in this story centers in an attempted corner in hay."

"I see. It was a cut-an-dried grass-plot."

Confederate President's Widow at Death's Door

MRS. JEFFERSON DAVIS.

BIGGEST WARSHIP TO BE AMERICA'S

House Favors Building Sea Terror to Eclipse English Ship Dreadnaught.

MISSOURIANS OPPOSED

Representative Bartholdt Wanted to Wait Until After Second Hague Conference.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—By a vote of 135 to 103, the House has gone on record in favor of the biggest battleship on earth for the American Navy.

The test came on the motion of Representative Theodore E. Burton, of Ohio, chairman of the Rivers and Harbors Committee, to strike from the bill the paragraph appropriating $3,000,000 for this purpose. Immediately preceeding the vote on Burton's motion, the ayes and noes were had on the amendment proposed by Representative Bartholdt, of St. Louis, postponing the construction of the ship until after the second Hague conference. Both amendments were rejected.

Practially all of the Democrats, and many Republicans voted with Representative Burton to strike out of the bill the battleship item. All of the Missouri and Southwestern Democrats voted with him, as did Representatives Fulkerson, Murphy, Rhodes and Tyndall, of the Missouri Republicans.

Speech after speech had been made against the naval programme, and as many in its favor.

Would Wait for The Hague.

Representative Foss of Illinois, chairman of the Naval Committee, who was in charge of the bill, closed the debate on the battleship paragraph. Foss spoke only five minutes, but threw into his remarks all the vehemence he could summon. He announced as ridiculous the amendment of Representative Bartholdt to postpone the construction of the ship until after the second Hague conference.

"Mr. Chairman," declared Foss, "after the first Hague conference, in spite of the resolutions adopted, every great world power increased its naval and military strength more than ever before. The Czar of Russia called the conference. He is just emerging from a war in some of the land battles of which more men were engaged than the world had ever known, while the naval engagements were the greatest in history. I would call the attention of the House to most significant feature of the Czar's call for the second Hague conference. No reference whatever is made to the much-talked-of disarmament proposition."

Foss declared emphatically that there was no more reason for believing that developments would be different after the second Hague conference. He said he was in favor of an adequate navy. The program of the department, he said, was in accordance with the principles of our fathers.

"I'd like," concluded the Illinoisan, "to have on the firing line in time of war some of the gentlemen who have been advocating a weak, sentimental peace, and have them deliver their platitudes there."

Williams of Mississippi, the minority leader, satirically suggested as an amendment to the naval bill, that, in view of the British having named their sea monster Dreadnaught, the American seas monster be named the "Skeered o' Nothin'," as being typical of the national spirit; that, upon its completion, the Captain in command be authorized to challenge the Dreadnaught to a duel to the death, and that the President and his Cabinet, with the exception of the Secretary of Agriculture, who is a noncombatant, be invited to places on the quarter-deck, as evidences of the strenuous life. The sea fight to take place off Newport.

The amendment was ruled out of order, but Williams, as well as the House, had a good deal of fun out of it.

ATLANTIC FLEET ENRICHES GOTHAM

Large Sums Spent by Sailors on Leave and by Ship's Purveyors.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Before the North Atlantic fleet pulls its mud-hooks from the Hudson River ooze, its blue jackets will have spent probably half a million dollars in this town.

Already they have separated themselves from about $320,000, and if orders to sail do not come from Washington before the next 10 days have elapsed, there will be a doubling of that expenditure.

"There are 8000 men in the fleet," said the paymaster aboard one of the battleships today, "and if you strike an average of $40 a man, who goes on liberty, you will come pretty near the amount of money they are spending. From all we have learned, the fleet will be here for the next ten days or two weeks, and that will mean more liberty and more sailor dollars for New York."

This officer said that most of the blue jackets were not such fools as most shore folks put them down for. Many of them had accounts with the paymasters ranging from $100 to $400.

According to an executive officer, the enlisted men are being given plenty of leeway.

"This is the men's play time," said he, "and we have found it works best to put them on honor. They understand that the ships are open to them to come back and spend the night. If they come back sober they can go ashore the next morning, and if they're not, why, they can go the moment they are.

"A few of the very old-timers thought there was a game in this when the liberty parties first started. They are saying that if they had taken our word they would have been money in pocket that went for dirty lodgings and bad grub at Waldorf rates."

Besides the money the sailors are spending, the provisions necessary to keep the ships of the fleet going are putting a pretty penny into the pockets of New York purveyors. It is estimated that the fleet stewards are spending anywhere from $2000 to $3000 a day.

ATTRACTIVE

Announcements from the "Ready-to-Wear" departments of the leading dry goods stores will be found every FRIDAY in the POST-DISPATCH.

The Cow's Bell.

Small Harold was visiting his grandparents in the country.

"Grandpa," he asked, "is that bell on the cow to keep her from falling asleep in this quiet place?"

GARDEN HOSE

50 feet hose with reel and nozzle, **$5.00** Hose Guaranteed.

Twenty other grades from which to make a selection.

See Us Before Buying.

LAWN MOWERS

A ball-bearing, easy-cutting machine only $4.50.

Day Rubber Co.

415 North Fourth St.

You Just Begin To LIVE WHEN YOU HAVE

Acquired an *Automobile* or *Horse and Rig*

Are You Willing to Be Shown?

If so, get the next Sunday Post-Dispatch Want Directory.

Consult the Automobile, Horse and Vehicle Column

Students' Debate at Odeon.

The first joint debate between students of St. Louis University and Creighton College, Omaha, Neb., will be held at the Odeon Thursday night, the subject being, "Resolved, That it would be advisable to institute in the United States compulsory workingmen's insurance against industrial accidents." The St. Louis University team, composed of Alphonse Ganahl, Ralph Kinsella and William Edler, will take the affirmative. The Creighton team is composed of Edward Leary, George Kierlen and William Scholl. Judge Shepard Barclay will act as chairman. The judges will be Circuit Judges Ryan and Taylor and Eugene C. Slevin.

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Pomological.

Bridal pears are different, far,
From other fruits you've seen;
Plucked from the parent stem they are
Softest when they're green.

—Puck.

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Clearance Sale of Women's Tailored Suits

Light Summer Weights

Five hundred of this season's most popular suits, finely tailored, and embracing all the latest style variations in Etons and Pony Coats, at about half their real value.

One hundred suits in tropical grays, Panamas in all colors and nobby mixtures. Very attractive styles—

15.00

Formerly 22.50 to 30.00

One hundred and fifty handsomely tailored suits, made in this season's choicest fabrics, such as white serge, gray tweed, striped Panama and Chiffon Panamas, in all colors—

19.50

Formerly 30.00 to 35.00

Women's tailored suits in a great variety of effects and colors, some of the best and most effective styles produced this year; all summer materials—

25.00

Formerly 40.00

Wm. Barr Co.

Curtains and Upholstery

Ten different patterns in ruffled muslin curtains, some with hemstitched edge, others with lace, and some with plain edges,

85c per pair

Value 1.25

Nottingham Lace Curtains, only 100 pairs, neat patterns, suitable for sleeping and sitting rooms, several designs,

1.25 per pair

Lace Door Panels, on fine quality net, medallion centers, on sale Friday at about half their value—

25c, 35c, 60c, 85c, 1.25, 1.40

One thousand Cottage Poles, 4 feet long, with trimmings complete,

10c each

Guns from the Franco-Prussian war, suitable for decoration,

1.75 each

Thread and Thrum Sofa Pillows, quaint and original designs,

75c each

All remnants of upholstery materials, cretonnes, denims, muslins and nets, for curtains, art tickings, etc., on sale at

Half Price

Wm. Barr Co.

Sale of Laces

Venice Allovers, in white and ecru, beautiful designs, the season's best,

50c, 75c and 95c per yard

Value 85c, $1.25 and $1.50

French and German Valenciennes Laces and insertions—broken matched sets, at

75c, 85c and 1.00 per doz. yards

Values up to $1.65.

200 dozen Val. Edges and Insertions—

Worth 35c, at **15c** per dozen
Worth 45c, at **25c** per dozen
Worth 60c, at **35c** per dozen

Wm. Barr Co.

Summer Household Necessities

Window Screens, in all sizes, adjustable, **25c** to **50c.**

Screen Doors, neatly finished, all sizes, **90c** to **$2.25.**

Hinges for screen doors, pair, **7c.**

Garbage Cans, made of galvanished iron, loose, cover, **50c.**

Ironing Boards, cloth covered, for shirt waists, **20c.**

Step Ladders, with bucket rests, 6 feet high, $1.20 value for **85c.**

Mrs. Potts' Sad Irons, nickel plated, $1.00 value at, per set, **65c.**

Fancy Japanned Flour Bins, 100 pounds capacity, each, **65c.**

Folding Lawn Benches, well made, 4½ feet long, each, **$1.25.**

Grass Sickles, with steel blades, each, **25c.**

Clairette Laundry Soap, large size cakes, 12 for **25c.**

Dusting Brushes, good size, 25c value, at **20c.**

Camphor Moth Balls, per pound, **3c.**

Tar Paper, size 40x48 inches, per dozen sheets, **50c.**

Fairbank's Scouring Soap, 3 cakes for **10c.**

Gas Tubing, mohair covered, all lengths, foot, **3c.**

Toilet Paper, fine tissue, value 5c roll; 10 rolls for **25c.**

50 ft. 3-ply fully warranted Lawn Hose, complete with couplings and nozzle, for **$5.00.**

Paints

Floor-Shine, in all colors; small size cans, 60c value, for **35c**; large size cans, $1 value, for **65c.**

Ready Mixed House and Floor Paints, quarts, **25c**; ½ gals., **48c**; gal., **95c.**

Jap-a-Lac, in all colors, ¼ pints for **15c**; ½ pints for **25c**; pints for **40c**; quarts for **75c.**

Refrigerators

The North Star Enamel-Lined Refrigerator, packed with granulated cork; woodwork of oak and ash; perfect air circulation; capacity 60 pounds of ice,

15.00

Same as above, but holding 100 pounds of ice, $18.00.

Wm. Barr Co.

PASSES ALLAY PREJUDICES, BUT DO NOT BRIBE

Judge Samuel C. Davis Thinks They Are Mighty Good Things.

THEIR USE IS VERY OLD

Never Heard of Delegate Being Influenced, but Railroads Profit Indirectly.

PHELPS HAS GOOD LAUGH

All Agree That Only 30 Per Cent of Democrats Will Travel.

Circuit Judge Samuel Davis of Marshall, Mo., a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Supreme Judge, in conversation with friends at the Laclede Hotel Thursday spoke with disfavor of the action of the railroads in refusing to grant free transportation to the delegates to the Democratic State Judicial Convention at Excelsior Springs May 28.

"I have been attending political conventions in Missouri for a good many years and I have yet to learn of a single delegate whose vote was controlled by a railroad pass," said Judge Davis. "The first convention I attended was in 1876. At that time I recall very distinctly that the delegates were furnished free transportation, and this courtesy, to my certain knowledge, has been extended by the railroads to both parties ever since.

Passes Allay Prejudices.

"In what way are the railroads obligated to either party that they should furnish railroad tickets valued at thousands of dollars free of charge?" Judge Davis was asked.

"There is no particular reason that I know of why they should do so," he replied.

"I presume they desired to get closer to the people—to cultivate the friendship of the public and thus allay harmful prejudices that might exist against them.

"Indirectly they would receive a benefit from the courtesy of granting free passes, but that such a practice smacks of bribery is to my mind a ridiculous charge.

"Now what will be the result of the anti-pass rule. Hundreds of delegates who had intended to go to the conventions will remain at home and their votes will be cast by others.

"If a candidate for Supreme Judge should attempt to defray the expenses of a delegate to the convention in order to get his vote he would be guilty of bribery.

"Surely, no candidate could be expected to pay a delegate's transportation without exacting from him a pledge of support.

"I doubt if one-third the delegates will personally attend the Excelsior Springs convention. If the convention is made up of proxies, then my chances of success are ruined."

Judge Davis refused to estimate the number of votes already pledged to his candidacy.

"My friends say," he remarked, "that I will get half of the Kansas City delegation, which is 31 votes, and I may get a number of votes in St. Louis.

"But I am not making any claims. I see some of the clairvoyants at Jefferson City are claiming everything for my opponent. Well, that is all right, I suppose, but I won't assert ownership of a delegation until I get it, nor will I make an unseemly scramble for this position."

Graves Claims 364 Delegates.

Judge W. W. Graves of Butler, who was appointed to the Supreme Bench by Gov. Folk, following the resignation of Judge Marshall, is making the race against Judge Davis. He claims a total of 364 pledged delegates. It requires 495 to nominate. Friends of Judge Graves say that Judge Davis has thus far captured only six counties, with a total of 31 delegates.

Judge Graves is in St. Louis and both he and Judge Davis are said to be making strenuous efforts to line up the St. Louis delegation, which has 161 votes.

In reference to the anti-pass rule just promulgated by the railroads, Chairman Evans of the Democratic State Central Committee declares that it will work to the serious disadvantage of the Democrats. In an interview published in late editions of the Post-Dispatch Wednesday, Judge Evans accused the railroads of taking snap judgment on the politicians.

"If we had known a month ago that no free transportation would be issued," said he, "we could have devised ways to get all the delegates to the convention. As matters now stand we will probably not have more than 30 per cent of the delegates at the Excelsior Springs or Jefferson City conventions.

"We had been accustomed to getting passes from the railroads and they shut down on us altogether too suddenly."

Jefferson Club Train.

Cortez A. Kitchen, secretary of the Ward Organization Committee of the Jefferson Club, who is also the private secretary of Martin L. Clardy, one of the Missouri Pacific Railroad attorneys, said Thursday that the Jefferson Club was anxious to charter a special train to send the delegates to Excelsior Springs, but he doubted whether the railroad companies would even consent to this accommodation.

The transportation problem is seriously disturbing the St. Louis Democrats. It is understood that a special train could be chartered for $500. As the fare will be $8, or a total of $1200 for the entire St. Louis delegation, a saving of $700 would be effected by getting a train.

Col. "Bill" Phelps, official pass distributor of the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain Railroad companies, is getting more quiet enjoyment out of the situation than, perhaps, any other man in Missouri.

"This is pretty hot weather for walking," he said to a Post-Dispatch reporter. "Looking back into the dim distant past I can recollect when a certain distinguished statesman used to insist on my always leaving him near the outskirts of a town and let him walk in, leaving him to follow along in the buggy, so none of his supporters would see us together.

"The reason of this was plain. He was running on an anti-corporation platform and he needed the votes of the men who hated the corporations. At the same time I was behind the curtains pulling the strings and feeding out passes to himself and his henchmen.

"Oh, it was great, but one day I got fired. It was a red hot July scorcher. My feet got sore walking over the hot roads and fresh sores added to my misery. So I quit the job there and then.

"I always sympathized with the politician who has to walk. It is such an exertion for him to take exercise.

"I hope none of them will be so anxious to participate in the nomination of a supreme judge that he will consider it worth while to pedal from St. Louis to Excelsior Springs.

Phelps Blames Demagogues.

"Seriously, I do not believe that as many delegates will attend the conventions when they are required to pay transportation, as otherwise.

"Quite a number have already told me that they would not attend the conventions if they have to pay fare. I think the criticism of the railroads for granting free transportation was occasioned by demagogues rather than by anything the delegates themselves said or did.

"I know that many who are opposed to the issuance of transportation to delegates have been very insistent in their demands for transportation for themselves, their families and their friends.

"They think the management of all political matters should be left in their hands. If those who oppose the railroad companies' giving passes will pay fare themselves and will not ask for it for chair warmers who sit around headquarters waiting for countrymen to come to town to receive from them a great deal of misinformation concerning the political situation and expect in return to be asked out for a drink or a free lunch, it will no doubt be gratifying to the railroad companies."

DARING'S MOTHER DIES.

Frank N. Darling, musical director at Delmar Garden, has been called to New York by a telegram announcing the death of his mother. He will return after the funeral, which takes place this week, and resume rehearsals of the musical features of the "Isle of Champagne," with which the Delmar Garden Theater egins its season Sunday, May 27. It is a remarkable coincidence that Mr. Darling was called away from Delmar just before last season's opening by news of his father's death, the announcement coming while rehearsals were under way.

John E. Young, leading comedian of the Delmar company, and Pearl Revare, the second soubrette, arrived Thursday and at once reported at Delmar Garden, taking part in the forenoon rehearsal. Frank Stammers, producer for Lew Fields and stage director for Delmar Garden, is also in the city and has assumed direction of rehearsals.

MADMAN CAPTURES DREXEL'S YACHT

Seaman Attacked With Religious Mania While Vessel Is in Berth.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Standing at the companionway of the yacht Atreus, owned by George W. Childs Drexel of Philadelphia, tied up at South Brooklyn, John Neilsen, a seaman, suffering from religious mania, with revolver in hand, compelled the crew of five men to remain below deck from Tuesday evening until yesterday.

For eight hours Neilsen, by the light of a lantern, read passage from the Bible. The terrified men, unarmed, locked themselves in the cabin.

John Larsen, boatswain's mate, managed to make his escape from the yacht yesterday and telephoned to the police. Six officers later overpowered Neilsen, who was sent to a hospital for observation.

FATHER TO GIVE ALIBI.

Patrick O'Donnell Denies Robbing a Fruit Stand.

The police will apply for a warrant against Patrick O'Donnell, who says he is the son of a contractor living at 4356 Cook avenue, and who was arrested Thursday by Detectives McQuellen and McGrath on suspicion of being one of the men who robbed John Makrigan in his fruit store at 2335 Franklin avenue Saturday night.

O'Donnell denied the offense, but was identified by Makrigan as one of the men who held a chair over his head while the other took $7.50 from the cash drawer. Makrigan says the men filled their pockets with nuts and fruit after procuring the money.

O'Donnell was arrested as he was leaving the Court of Criminal Correction, where he had been a witness in the case of Maggie Keekle, charged with assault and battery. He says his father can establish an alibi for him.

Belcher bathes day and night for ladies and gentlemen. Fourth and Lucas.

SENATE TAKES A SMILE ON PLATT

Aged New Yorker Locks Stable After Rate Horse Is Gone.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Senator Platt of New York has given an astonishing exhibition of a man trying to look the stable door after the horse was stolen.

On Wednesday he sent his secretary up to the Senate to see if there had been any steps taken to include the express companies in the workings of the railroad rate law. His secretary found no evidences of such treason and Senator Platt went home.

Fifteen minutes later Senator Bailey proposed an amendment putting express companies and sleeping car companies under the provisions of the law and the Senate adopted it. When he heard it, Senator Platt had a series of coniptions. He came to the Senate early Thursday and spent all day trying to make a combination to get the express company provision out of the bill. He was active and alert beyond anything seen for several years so far as he is concerned, but he got little consolation and fewer promises of help.

The Senate thinks so long as all railroads that are subsidary corporations are getting radically legislated against, it is just as well to take a crack at Mr. Platt's express business, and they have taken it and are inclined to laugh at Platt.

Work.

From the Detroit Free Press.

"Shuffler is going to read an essay on 'Work' before the debating society tonight."

"How did he happen to choose that subject? He's the laziest man in the world."

"That's just it; he's going to argue against it."

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"First in everything."

HOME ARREST FOR AUTO SCORCHERS

Policemen Are Instructed to Take Tag Numbers, Then Call.

Lists containing the name, address and tag number of every automobile owner in the city are being printed by the Police Department printers, and copies will be given to every man on the police force within a few days with emphatic instructions to stop scorching.

Patrolmen will be stationed at frequent intervals on streets used as automobile speedways, especially on Locust street.

They have been instructed to "first take a good look at the occupants of the automobile; get the number of the machine, and then go to the home and address and arrest the persons who were riding too fast."

GREATEST REMNANT FRIDAY OF THE YEAR

A whole stock of Remnants accumulated during the year by the largest wholesale house on Washington Av., was purchased by us and will be put on sale tomorrow at 15c to 25c ON THE DOLLAR

IN OUR SUNLIGHT BARGAIN BASEMENT

Notions

3 1-3c King's 200-yd. Spool go at..1c
10c package 25 envelopes, pkg.....2½c
5c Spool 100-yd. Black Sewing Silk, 2c
10c Dozen Black 5-4 Shoe Lace, go at, dozen.....5c
21c Black Silk Buttonhole Twist....1c
25c Clothes Brushes; 9 rows bristle, go at.....15c
25c Hair Brushes; 9 rows bristle, go at.....15c
10c Package 20 Mule Team Borax—go at.....6c
15c Tetlow's Baby Talcum Powder, per can.....10c
20c Tetlow's Rice Powder, go at per box.....15c

Perfumeries! Pond's Extract

Pond's Extract; emergency size; 25c quality, at, per bottle.....15c
Pond's Extract Cream—25c value go at, per jar.....15c
Pond's Extract Antiseptic Cream—25c value, go at, per bottle.....15c
Pond's Extract Antiseptic Dentifrice—25c value, go at, per bottle.....15c
Pond's Extract Ointment—25c value, per jar.....15c
Pond's Extract Antiseptic Talcum Powder—25c value, per can.....15c

35c White Suitings

9 A. M. Friday.

20 pieces very fine white Batiste, with rich mercerized cords and stripes; appliqued; several fine patterns; desirable for wash shirtwaist suits and waists; this lot bought away under price enables us to sell them at this very low figure..... 12½c

Boys' Suits at ½ Price

Boys' $6 Light Wool Suits

Fine light-colored and medium Spring and Summer Suits, with knickerbockers or straight knee pants; all styles; 3 to 16 years; tomorrow..... $2.95

FREE! A ball and bat or Mitt with these Suits. See our fine line of Wash Suits for boys, ages 2 to 8 years.

Long Silk Gloves and Mitts

Women's 16-Button Silk Gloves—lace top, double tipped fingers..... $1.75
Women's Milanese and English Lisle Gloves—In 16 button length..... $1.00
Women's 16-Button Silk Lace Mitts—$1.25 and..... $1.00
Women's 8-inch Black Silk Mitts..... 25c
Women's 2-Clasp Suede and Milanese Lisle Gloves—50c values—special..... 25c

Wash Goods Remnants

Remnants of Wash Goods—2000 pieces on sale Friday, each remnant..... 1c
Batiste—Printed Batiste Lawns; floral designs; worth 7½c..... 3¾c
Calicoes—American and Gray Dress Prints; Friday, yard..... 4½c
Voile Suiting, Duck Suiting, Plain-Colored and Printed Lawns; worth 12½c..... 5c
Ginghams—Seersucker Dress and Skirting Ginghams; worth 10c..... 5½c
Panama Suiting—Latest material for shirtwaist suits; looks like wool; worth 19c..... 10c

3 Specials

Jackets, Skirts, Waists

3 Manufacturers Close Out 3 Lots

A Lot of Sample Skirts
A Lot of Spring Jackets
A Lot of Three Styles of Waists

These are articles of wearing apparel of the best tailoring, in the season's most desirable styles, unusually priced.

$6, $8 and $10 Tailored Skirts

Blue, white, black and mixtures of fine mohairs, voiles and Panama—cut and tailored perfectly—on sale tomorrow at 8:15 A. M. until the 200 are sold, at..... $3.95

$6 and $8 Jackets

In all-wool plaid mixtures, in new box styles, trimmed in contrasting colors; all sizes; tomorrow they'll sell at..... $3.95

$1.50 White Lawn Waists

Trimmed in embroidery and laces, in three different styles; don't fail to see these at..... 89c

Remnants Dress Goods

A great lot of remnants closed out from a skirt manufacturer; all sizes, from ½ yard to 3 yards, in Sicilians, worsteds, Panamas, brilliantines, cashmeres and other Spring weaves, in many good colors; values 50c up to $1.00 and $1.50 a yard; you surely can find something in these which will be useful and a bargain; each piece—

5c, 10c, 15c, 25c and 50c

Penny & Gentles
BROADWAY AND WASHINGTON AVE
ALL St. LOUIS TRANSIT COS CARS TRANSFER TO PENNY & GENTLES

Knit Underwear

For Men, Women and Children

HALF PRICE

25c Vests for 12½c

25c Vests; two lots very fine Lisle Finish, with fine lace trimming and some shaped; low neck and short sleeves... 12½c

35c Pants for 15c

Ladies' fine Jersey Rib Pants, French bands, deep, wide lace bottoms; regular and extra sizes, cut full; choice.... 15c

40c Men's Underwear, 19c

Men's French Balbriggan Shirts or Drawers; also fine rib, in ecru, pink or blue; all sizes; for..... 19c

75c Men's Underwear, 35c

Fine French Balbriggan, in white or ecru; also fancy weaves, in pink, blue, black and fancy mixtures; choice..... 35c

85c French Balbriggans, 50c

Men's Genuine Balbriggan Shirts or Drawers; shirts long or short sleeves; Drawers regular or short stouts; sizes 30 up to 54; all sizes for, per garment..... 50c

Silk Remnants at Half

Great values in Silk Remnants; pieces of ½ to 1½ yards; Taffetas, Fancy Silks, Foulards, Chinas; at, each, 39c, 25c, 15c and..... 10c
Remnants of Fancy Silks—White Taffeta Silk; worth 40c and 50c a yard; at, yard..... 25c
Remnants of 30-inch Black Silk Pongee, 60c All-Silk Colored Taffetas, at, yard..... 39c
Remnants of Yard-Wide Black Taffeta, Black Japanese Silk, worth 70c a yard, at, yard..... 49c

Millinery Clearing

$5 to $7.50 Hats at Only $1.50

These are the balance of our great $3 Hat Sale which took so well early in the week, and positively equal to any $5 to $7.50 Hat in the city; we want to make a clean job and tomorrow all that's left goes at— $1.50

300 Hat Shapes, in tan, white, black and Tuscan colors; sailor effect; 98c and $1.25 values; at..... 50c

Special Sale of Corsets

50c for $1.00 Empire and long hip gored Corsets—batiste—all sizes.
75c for $1.00 R. & G., P. N. and American Lady Corsets—elastics attached.
$1.00 for Warner Rust-Proof Corsets — batiste — elastics front and side attached.
25c for 50c Empire and Girdle Batiste Corsets.
15c for Children's Underwaists — Summer weight — shirred—double row of buttons.

Lace and Embroidery

Remnants of Normandy and Platt Valenciennes German and English Torchon Laces; worth 5c and 10c, for, yard..... 2½c
Remnants of Valenciennes Lace Medallions, Appliques and Festoons—a rare chance—worth 25c; for, yard..... 5c
Remnants of Oriental Valenciennes and Plauen Laces and Insertions—worth 15c to 25c for, yard..... 10c
Remnants of Embroidery Edges and Insertions—1½ to 6¾ yards long—worth 10c yard 5c
Remnants of Embroidery Flouncing Cambric and Swiss—good width and dainty patterns—worth 25c; for, yard..... 15c

Odd Lots of Lace Curtains

Nottingham Lace Curtains—Slightly imperfect—worth 50c—Friday..... 15c
Nottingham Lace Curtains—Good patterns—worth 85c—Friday, a pair..... 50c
Nottingham Lace Curtains—Extra wide—worth $1.50—Friday, a pair..... 98c
Scotch Lace Curtains—Handsome patterns—worth $2.50—Friday, a pair... $1.50
Cable Net Lace Curtains—Fine quality—worth $3.50—Friday, a pair..... $1.95
Brussels Lace Curtains—White or Arabian—worth $4—Friday, a pair..... $2.50

40c Japanese Matting

At 9:30 A. M. for One-Half Hour

146 rolls best quality Japanese and China Matting, in rich carpet effects; reds, greens, blues and plain white linen or fiber warp; a large selection; worth 40c; on sale Friday, for one-half hour, a yard..... 19c

Household Goods

50 Feet Hose, Nozzle, reel and couplings—like cut, complete..... $4.39
Screen Windows—All sizes—59c down to..... 15c
Screen Doors—$1.89 down to..... 75c
Reed Go-Carts, like cut; reclining back—rubber tires..... $5.50
Refrigerators—filled with mineral wool; $17.98 down to $5.25
Ice Cream Freezers—all sizes—$7.50 to $1.49
Quick Meal Gasoline Stoves—like cut—guaranteed—$1.98
Hammocks with Pillow; worth $2.00—$1.25
2-Gallon Water Coolers; worth $1.69—$1.39

50c Silk Warp Eoliennes

AT 8 O'CLOCK FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

The greatest bargain ever shown; an entire stock of a New York manufacturer closed out at our own price; elegant quality Silk Warp Eoliennes, sheer rich and silky; nearly 3000 yards in the following colors; white, black, linon, cardinal, lavender, navy and royal blue; actual 50c value; as cheap as cotton; 3 o'clock Friday at..... 15c

85c 50-inch Fine Mohair Sicilians

At 9:30 O'CLOCK FRIDAY FOR ONE-HALF HOUR.

The grand total of our sales of these is climbing away up; we've sold more of these splendid Sicilians than all other kinds we ever had put together; the most desirable and popular weave for Summer skirts; just come in and see this bargain Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock; black, navy, royal, blue and grays..... 47c

Men's 75c Underwear

AT 9:30 A. M. FOR HALF HOUR.

Men's French Balbriggan Shirts or Drawers, in white, ecru, black, pink, blue or salmon; all silk finished; sizes 30 to 44; choice for..... 25c

85c Yard-Wide White China Silk

At 10 A. M. for One-Half Hour.

85c Yard-Wide White China, rich lustrous finish, pure natural silk, devoid of all dressing; will launder perfectly, and is of extreme width; worth easily 85c yard; special at, yard..... 46c

Magnolia-Scented Moon Vines.

Watch and be careful, don't buy Morning Glory for Moon Vine. We grow only the Ipomea Multiflora. This Moon Vine is much earlier than any Moon Vine in existence, having flowers pure white, fragrant and waxy—flowers are as big as saucers..... 15c each—2 for 25c
12 new ever-blooming Tube Rose Bulbs, "Albino"..... 25c
6 choice hardy monthly Roses, in bud or blossom..... 50c
6 Memorial Roses, fine for cemetery planting..... 50c.

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ARRESTED FOR CRIME ANOTHER IS TO EXPIATE

Workman Charged With Murder for Which C. L. Tucker Is Condemned.

MABEL PAGE STABBING

Jerry Hayes Confesses to Landlady Being "Man in Blue Overalls."

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SHOWHEGAN, Me., May 17.—Jerry Hayes was arrested in Bingham yesterday afternoon charged with the murder of Mabel Page at Weston, Mass., March 31, 1904, for which crime Charles L. Tucker is awaiting electrocution on June 10.

The arrest of Hayes came about through a peculiar chain of circumstances. He has been in Bingham off and on for the past two years. He boarded in Bingham village with Mrs. Maria Brown.

One day last February he entered the house with a newspaper in his pocket. His landlady asked him to let her see it, as she wanted to know what had become of Tucker.

"O, he's got the chair," Hayes replied, "and it is a lucky thing for me he has, as I might be in his place."

"What do you mean?" asked Mrs. Brown.

"Why, I was in the Weston house a few moments before the murder occurred and just got out in time to escape the hubbub caused by finding the murdered girl."

Man in Blue Overalls.

Hayes went on to state that he was the man in the blue overalls who had been seen leaving the Page home and who disappeared from the scene of the crime and could not be discovered. Hayes says he called at the Weston house and the hired girl, Amy Roberts, came to the door. He says she gave him bread and a drink of water.

Mrs. Brown was greatly impressed with the story and told what Hayes had said to the wife of Daniel Steward, a Bingham lawyer. Mrs. Steward at once wrote to the attorneys for Charles L. Tucker, and they sent Mr. Mansfield of the firm down to investigate.

Hayes refuses to make any statement and takes his arrest very coolly. He is about 50 years old.

In Bingham it is said Hayes has also been known as J. Moulton, Jerry Hale and J. H. Morton. He has been a sober man and is accounted a good workman. So far as is known here he is unmarried, and except for his talk with Mrs. Brown nobody has heard him say anything about the Page murder.

The body of Miss Mabel Page was found stabbed to the heart in the home of her father. The evidence adduced against Tucker at the trial was that he had been at the Page home before the murder and that a knife capable in every way of inflicting a wound such as the one which killed the girl was found in his home when the police searched it.

Tucker, from the time of his first arrest to the present, has avowed his innocence and his parents have defended him manfully, contending that he is innocent.

READS HIS OWN BURIAL SERVICE

Officer Arrests Man Who Was Entertaining Crowd by Attempting Suicide.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HARTFORD, Conn., May 15.—"The average minister does not know how to head a burial service," said Andrew Fay, 22 years old, of Rockville, Conn., standing in the street. As he spoke he opened a prayer book and the crowd moved closer. In one hand he held an open clasp knife.

"I'm going for a long journey, friends," he continued, smiling grimly. "There are no legislative passes on the line I'm going to take—no rebates, either. I am going to cross the Styx. To insure myself of a comfortable passage I mean to read my own funeral service."

He made a pass before his throat with the knife.

A man tried to grab the knife. Fay sidestepped and struck at him with the blade, but missed him. The crowd kept back, and in melodramatic style Fay read from the prayer book. When he had reached the words, "Dust to dust, ashes to ashes," a policeman pushed through the throng. Fay struck at him with the knife, but the policeman caught his arm and captured the weapon.

Fay was in custody yesterday awaiting examination on a charge of attempted suicide. He said he was out of work, and decided to end his life.

STUDENTS OPPOSE GRAB OF CAMPUS

Ithaca Street Railway Granted Franchise by College Trustees Objected To.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ITHACA, N. Y., May 15.—In the face of a petition signed by 2000 undergraduates, the Ithaca street railway today announced its intention to begin laying its tracks across the campus quadrangle about the middle of next month.

P. K. Clymer, attorney for the company, said that the trustees of the university had given the company official notice that it might begin its work.

Student feeling runs high as a result. There are many who say that if the tracks be laid, an effort will be made to tear them up. All kinds of violent threats are being made. President Schurman sided with the students against the proposed grab.

Advance Car to Michigan

Illinois Central Railroad, June 6. Regular daily service on and after June 6. Leave St. Louis at 11:45 a. m.

GARDEN OBJECTED TO.

Lansdowne Does Not Want an Amusement Place.

The church members of Lansdowne, a suburb of East St. Louis, have rebelled against the proposed location of a summer garden in that district, and, at a meeting held at the Christian Church in Lansdowne, committees were appointed and a fund raised for the purpose of combatting the proposed evil, until, as it is said in their statement issued to the public, "it is down and out for all time."

The cause of their protestations is the forming of a $25,000 stock company by East St. Louis merchants to establish a large amusement and summer garden in Lansdowne, and the recent letting of the contract for the location of $60,000 worth of concession and attractions.

The protestants' plan is as follows:

"If the merchants of this city propose wrecking the homes of those furnishing them a goodly portion of their business, means will be taken to adquately prove that the law-abiding citizens of East St. Louis do not propose supporting institutions, which, in return for the courtesy, furnish a dumping ground for the hoodlum element of all surrounding cities."

Another meeting will be held at the Lansdowne Christian Church, when a permanent organization will be affected, and officers elected to carry out their plans.

St. Clair County Transfers.

George D. Emory to G. C. Plumer, lot 2, block 7, De Haan and Drummond's addition to East St. Louis, warranty deed, $150; Adam Karr and wife to William Tirrs Sr., lots 5 and 6, Karr and Engelke's addition to Lensburg, warranty deed, $85; Consolidated Coal Co. to George Weimer, part section 19, town 1 south, range 7 west, warranty deed, $250; Henry C. Laosch and wife to D. S. Otto, lots 20 and 21, block 2 and more, Guignon and Greenwood's addition to East St. Louis, warranty deed, $5; A. B. Smiley and wife to Clarence Fincher, lots 48 and 49, Smiley's addition to O'Fallon, warranty deed, $540; William C. Penn and others, to F. J. Smith, lot 144, Penn's third addition to O'Fallon, warranty deed, $200.

WOULD ENJOIN SALOON.

East St. Louis Property Owners Bring Suit.

Property owners near Twenty-ninth and Bond streets, East St. Louis, have filed a petition in the St. Clair County Circuit Court asking an injunction to prevent a saloon being opened on that corner. The case will be heard Friday.

The petitioners are F. S. Rich, Luther Robinson, P. R. Carter, W. W. Reynolds, Charles Rich, R. V. Clark and J. I. Hizz. It is directed against the St. Louis Brewing Association, Jerry Kane, C. J. Pidgeon and Edmund Carter. The petitioners allege they have information that the defendants plan to open a saloon at Twenty-ninth and Bond streets. They say no license has been granted, but that the saloon may be opened without a license.

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GRAIN INSPECTOR SUED.

St. Louis Mill a Plaintiff in East Side Action.

A suit for $15,000 against C. O. Davis, an Illinois State Grain Inspector, and his bondsmen, is on trial in the City Court of East St. Louis, involving the grading of wheat in the Union Elevator in East St. Louis, which was recently destroyed by fire.

Two suits were brought, one by the Hezel Milling Co., of East St. Louis, and the other by the Regina Milling Co., of St. Louis, and both are being tried together. It is alleged that the Hezel mill bought 10,000 bushels, and the Regina mill 6,000 bushels, of No. 2 wheat at the Board of Trade, and were given warehouse receipts for the grain at the Union Elevator.

The mills allege that when the wheat was shipped to them, on delivery, it was found that the wheat, which had been graded by the State Grain Inspector as No. 2 wheat, was in reality of a lower grade and was not worth the price of No. 2 wheat. They refused to accept the grain and, as the elevator would not allow it to be returned, they were forced to sell it at auction at a lower price than they had paid.

This suit is brought on the bond of the Grain Inspector for the difference in the price for which the grain was sold and the price paid for No. 2 wheat.

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DO YOU KNOW

All the merchants advertise "Ready-to-Wear" bargains in the POST-DISPATCH every FRIDAY.

Ladies' and Children's Knit Underwear

10c Child's Knit Lace-Trimmed Pants.....9c
10c Ladies' Sleeveless Vests.....5c
35c Boys' Underwear, 23c—Boys' Long and Short Sleeve Shirts and Long and Short Drawers, with double seats and suspender straps; Friday special, per garment.....23c

50c Boys' Union Suits, 35c

Boys' splendid Balbriggan Union Suits; short sleeves and knee length, finished with pearl buttons; regular 50c suits; Friday they go at.....35c

Main Floor—Aisle 7.

Children's Headwear

Main Floor—Aisle 7.

Children's White Duck Wash Tams, with separable bands and wired; the finest headwear for children, as they laundry; each.....25c

$1.50 Umbrellas for 95c

Your choice of 200 best piece dyed Taffeta Silk Umbrellas; pearl, silver-mounted and horn handles; good, tight-roll, silk case and tassel; Paragon frames; special price, Friday.....95c

Ladies' White Linen Parasols; $2.49, $2.25, $1.98 and.....$1.69

Friday Morning at 9 O'Clock

We Offer

$1.50 Corsets at

39c

All new, clean Corsets.

Sale Starts at 9:00 Sharp

On Second Floor.

$1.69 $1.69

Solid brass Gas Chandeliers; fancy twisted arms and ball center; complete with globes, etc:

Two-light size, complete for.....$1.69
Three-light size, complete, for.....$2.48
Four-light size, complete, for.....$2.98

Main Floor, Aisle 8.

Men's Furnishings and Underwear

Special values to assure quick selling for Friday and Saturday in Men's Underwear, Shirts, Hosiery, Suspenders and Neckwear.

35c Shirts and Drawers, 25c.
Men's fine Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers in ecru, light and dark pink; silk finish; regular 35c values; Friday and Saturday, special for.....25c

Men's Pongee Shirts, 95c.
140 dozen of the finest of Men's Pongee Silk Shirts, in all sizes; collar attached; regular $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50 value; Friday and Saturday.....95c

Long Silk Gloves, $1.00.
Just received, 50 dozen Long Black and White Silk Gloves, all sizes, also suede lisle in black, white and chamois; only two pairs to a customer; Friday for.....$1

50c Underwear, 39c.
The finest of Men's Jersey Ribbed and French Balbriggan Underwear, in blue, tan, flesh and ecru, in all sizes; a bargain at 50c; for Friday and Saturday only.....39c

39c Men's Suspenders, 11c.
Men's and Boys' durable elastic Suspenders, in Police and other makes; 25c and 35c Suspenders go in this sale Friday.....11c

10 A. M. Special.

50c and 75c Shirts, 25c.
A full assortment of Men's and Boys' Dress Shirts, in fine percales, Madras and cotton pongee; all sizes; in negligee; collar attached, cuffs attached or separate; for one hour only, Friday.....25c

75c Shirts and Drawers, 50c.
Men's Imported Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, also about 50 dozen of Scriven's Genuine Elastic Seam Drawers, in all sizes; regular 75c value; for Friday and Saturday only.....50c

35c Washable Ties, 17½c.
Men's and Boys' reversible Wash Ties in the popular colors and patterns; good lengths; Friday, at the very special price of.....17½c

$1.00 Ingersoll Watches, 85c.
The well-known Ingersoll Watch, guaranteed for one year, in gun and gold metal—actual $1.00 values; Friday, they go for.....85c

$1.00 Shirts, 59c.
A large assortment of Men's Fine Negligee Dress Shirts, in silk fronts; pleated bosoms; attached and separate cuffs; regular $1.00 values; Friday and Saturday.....59c

35c Men's Hose, 17½c.
700 dozen Men's Fancy Hose, in stripes, plaids, embroidered and other popular Spring patterns; the best values that can be found; Friday.....17½c

50c Gloves, 25c.
Black and White Silk Lace Mitts, also Silk and Lisle Gloves, all colors; 50c values; special for Friday only.....25c

Ladies' and Children's Seasonable Hosiery

Ladies' plain black and dropstitch Hose, 12½c value; go Friday, per pair.....6c

Children's black ribbed school Hose, seconds of 12½c hosiery; all sizes from 5 to 9½; Friday special.....6c

50c Lace Hosiery, 35c—Ladies' gauze lisle in plain black, white and colors; also in allover lace and lace boot, in all the pretty seasonable effects; 3 pairs for $1.00, or, per pair, Friday.....35c

Aisle 7—Main Floor.

Children's pure linen Wash Rough Rider Hats, with silk cords; all sizes; special.....50c

75c Battenberg Doylies, 49c
Teneriffe and Battenberg Doylies; size 18x18; with pure linen centers.....49c

5c Talcum Powder, 2½c
Tetlow's and Keystone Talcum Powder; tin cans, sifter top; for Friday, special, per can.....2½c
Drug Dept.—Aisle 3.

$5.98 and $7.50 Silk Petticoats, $2.69
A sample lot of Silk Petticoats, worth up to $7.50; all to be sold for.....$2.69

50c Corset Covers, 25c—Made of good quality nainsook; lace and embroidery trimmed—tomorrow at.....25c

50c Infants' Garments, 25c — Infants' Slips, made of good quality nainsook—yoke trimmed with embroidery—50c values—on sale at.....25c

50c Infants' Petticoats, 25c—Made of cambric; deep hemstitched hem; excellent values at 50c—tomorrow at.....25c

Second Floor.

Wash Boilers

No. 7 All-Tin Wash Boiler, worth 40c, Friday.....29c
No. 8 Copper Bottom Wash Boiler, Friday.....59c
No. 8 Copper Rim Wash Boiler, Friday.....89c
No. 8 All-Copper Wash Boiler, Friday.....$1.69

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Broadway and Franklin Av.

The Store of Bargains

Handmade Dress and Shirtwaist Hats, $1.98

$1.98

Bought from one of the leading houses, their entire stock of Ladies' handmade Dress and Shirtwaist Hats—not the common factory Hats, but all special designs of the finest material—suitable for the finest trade. This will be the greatest surprise of the season—at only—

$1.98

Children's Streamer Hats; fine quality straw—the $1.50 kind for.....75c

American Beauty Roses—three to the bunch—with foliage—worth 35c a bunch, at.....15c

Black Roses—six to the bunch—worth 25c a bunch, at.....10c

Wash Goods Section

Aisle 2.

7½c Wash Goods for 4c.
Printed Scotch Lawns; good styles; reg. 7½c quality, for.....4c

10c Wash Goods, 5c.
Printed Batiste, floral designs; actually worth 10c yard; for.....5c

12½c Wash Goods, 7½c.
Printed Organdies, white grounds, with rose buds, carnations, etc., regular price 12½c, for.....7½c

65c Panama Suitings, 43c.
Just received another shipment of Panamas, light weight; just what you will want for a separate skirt; 65c quality; Friday at, yard.....43c

19c Panama Suitings, 12½c.
Double width black and white checked Panamas, tropical weight; regular 19c quality; Friday at, yard.....12½c

30c Wash Goods for 10c.
Short lengths, 2 to 5 yards in each piece; be on hand early; 30c qualities; Friday at, yard.....10c

15c Black Organdies, 5c.
25 pieces Black Organdy; fast black; the 15c quality; yard, only.....5c

25c Black Voile, 15c.
10 pieces Black Voile, extra good value at 25c; clean-up sale, yard, only.....15c

Clean-Up Sale

Main Floor, Aisles 1, 2, 3.

Special prices in Wash Goods, Laces and White Goods; surplus stock of new, desirable goods; these prices are for Friday and Saturday only.

10c LACES, 1c
Laces of all kinds; odds and ends Val., Torchon and many other fancy Wash Laces, Edges, Insertions and Bands, up to 10c yard, will be cleaned out, yard, only.....1c

$2.00 LACES, 15c
Remnants Lace Allovers, ½ to 1 yard in length; two-tone, ecru and white; were $1 to $2 yard; to clean out, each remnant.....15c

7½c FRENCH VALS., 3 1-3c
Fine French Vals., Edges and Insertions; odd pieces; have been 75c and $1 pieces; 1 dozen yards, 39c; or, per yard.....3⅓c

50c CORSET EMBROIDERY, 25c
Lot of fine 18-inch Corset Cover Embroidery; best of work on sheer St. Gall Swiss; beading edge; well worth 50c—in this sale at only, per yard.....25c

$2.50 SHOES, 98c
500 pairs of Ladies' Patent Coltskin Shoes—Blucher cut, extension welt soles—$2.50 Shoes—while they last, pair.....98c

$1.50 SHOES, 87c
Misses', Children's and little Gents' Oxford and Low Shoes, in a large variety of styles; all sizes; regular $1.50 values—Friday and Saturday, per pair.....87c

White Goods Section

Aisle 3.

5c Turkish Wash Rags, 1c.
Special lot of 5c Turkish Bleached Wash Rags—Friday.....1c
Main Floor—Aisle 3.

10c India Linon, 5c.
10 O'Clock Special—One case fine White India Linon; regular 10c value, Friday special, yd.....5c
Main Floor—Aisle 3.

19c Persian Lawn, 10c.
100 pieces White Bookfold Persian Lawn, very fine quality, worth 19c; special, yard.....10c

10c Turkish Towels, 5c.
3 O'Clock Special—One case large size heavy unbleached Turkish Bath Towels; regular 10c Towels; Friday only.....5c
Main Floor—Aisle 3.

10c Napkins, 2c.
Special lot All-Linen Napkins, fringe and colored borders; worth up to 10c; Friday sale price.....2c

$1.00 Spreads, 55c.
One case heavy Crocheted white hemmed Bed Spreads, made for a double size bed; $1.00 value; Friday choice.....55c

50c Linen Damask, 25c.
70-inch All-Linen Unbleached German Linen Damask, variety of patterns at the ridiculous low price Friday and Saturday, yd.....25c

Hot Weather Snaps
10c values in India Linons, Nainsooks, Dimities and Dotted Swisses—your choice, in Basement, Friday, per yard.....5c

7½c Muslin, 3½c
7½c bleached and unbleached Muslin; 2 to 10-yard lengths—Friday Sale.....3½c

Extraordinary Bargains in Our Basement Friday

10c Men's Hose, 2½c
We have a big lot of Men's Fast Black Hose; regular 10c value—will be sold in Basement Friday at.....2½c

39c Ladies' Kimonos, 18c
10 dozen Ladies' Lawn Kimonos—made of fine quality lawn—good washable colors in flower and figure effects—full regular made—in Basement for.....15c

A Rousing Sale of Sheets and Pillow Cases in Basement
Another great sale of Sheets and Pillow Cases; a great opportunity for every housekeeper. In order to close them out we will assort them in five different lots.

Lot 1.	Lot 2.	Lot 3.	Lot 4.	Lot 5.
50c Sheets,	60c Sheets,	75c Sheets,	98c Sheets,	17½c Pillow Cases,
27½c	33⅓c	43c	69c	10c

A Towel Sale for Our Customers to Remember
Good Towels are not always cheap—cheap Towels are not always good—if you can get them good and cheap, why not?

Lot 1.	Lot 2.	Lot 3.	Lot 4.	Lot 5.
7½c 27-in Huck Towels,	10c Huck Towels, 16x32,	10c Bath Towels,	19c Huck Towels, 18x36,	50c Bath Sheets,
3⅓c	5c	6¼c 4 for 25c.	10c	22½c or 2 for 45c.

Something Doing in Our Basement Shoe Department
Shoes at unheard-of values at the price named will be offered in our Basement Shoe Dept.—

Lot 1.	Lot 2.	Lot 3.	Lot 4.
50c Shoes,	69c Tennis Shoes,	98c Boys' Oxfords,	$2.00 Ladies' Canvas Oxfords,
25c	29c	39c	65c

Tremendous Slash of Prices in Our Wash Goods Section
We have recently purchased about 3000 yards of Wash Goods, consisting of Lawns, Organdies, Challies and some fine Waistings, which will be divided into five different lots, as follows:

Lot 1.	Lot 2.	Lot 3.	Lot 4.	Lot 5.
7½c Lawns,	7½c Challies,	10c Organdies,	10c Waistings,	15c Organdies,
3½c	4c	5c	5c	7½c

7½c Aprons Gingham
7½c Apron Gingham, all colors and checks; same count as Amoskeags; special until noon.....5c

25c Sheeting, 15c.
25c bleached and unbleached Sheeting in different lengths and widths; worth 25c; until sold, Friday.....15c

39c Drawers, 19c
10 dozen ladies' Cambric Drawers, made of good quality cambric; wide ruffle; 10 cluster pin tucks; hemstitched hem; full umbrella style; all sizes; in basement, for.....19c

3 O'Clock Special! $1.00 Shirtwaists at 39c
At 3 o'clock sharp, in Basement, we will place on sale 10 dozen Ladies' Batiste, Lawn and French Sateen Waists; made in the very latest style; bright, serviceable shades; all sizes; while they last, 1 hour, for.....39c

25c Corset Covers, 10c
10 dozen ladies' good muslin Corset Covers, lace trimmed; full regular made; excellent values in basement for.....10c

39c Underwear, 19c
100 dozen high-grade Underwear, in lisle thread and high-grade balbriggan; plain and fancy weave; per garment.....19c

25c Laundry Bags, 9c
Good full-size Laundry Bags, floral designs; made of duck; for.....9c

$1.00 Curtain Stretcher—nickel-plated pins....49c

49c adjustable Window Screens—24 inches high—extend to 33 inches.....23c

69c adjustable Screens—30 inches high—extend to 37 inches.....39c

Screen Cloth, black or green—24 to 34 inches wide.....9c

$1 Screen Door—regular sizes, 69c

Set Hinges, knob, hook and eye, 10c

39c Pastry Board—16x20-inch, 25c

Chair Seats; 3-ply veneer—sizes 12, 14 and 15-inch.....6c

$1.00 Wood Tub—3 hoops.....69c

5c Cake of Wool Soap—3 for...10c

10c Bottle Ammonia—quart bottles.....4c

45c Japanese Matting a Yard 19c

Just received 560 rolls of high-grade linen-warp Carpet Mattings, in red, blue, green, yellow and tan effects; large, handsome patterns; also 75 rolls of inlaid and stencil effects.—Mattings of this kind could not be imported for the price we ask; every inch is of perfect weave; you will find this same class of goods quoted elsewhere for 25c, 35c, 45c; your choice of the lot Friday only, a yard.

19c

$12.00 Brussels Room Rug, $5.00—Made in red, green and tan; just the thing for bedroom or dining-room; sold by others for $12.00; our price Friday.....$5.00

$27.50 Axminster Rug, $17.50—Superior quality Axminster, made in floral, Oriental and scroll designs; very beautiful and durable; our price Friday.....$17.50

60c Scotch Linoleum, a Yard, 30c—As much as you want; made in all colors and designs; bring your measure and come early; for Friday only, a yard.....30c

$1.00 Inlaid Linoleums, a Yard, 49c—Genuine imported Inlaid Linoleum, the kind that the color goes through to the back; will wear a lifetime; Friday, a yard.....49c

$10 Leather Box Couch, $3.98

As a special inducement we offer you an elegant Leatherette Box Couch, size 30 in. by 6 ft.; tempered steel spring seat, brass lock and key; regular price $10. Friday, special.....$3.98

$1.00 Center Table, 15 in. Round tops.....69c
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We will place on sale Friday, on our Third Floor, 500 pairs of Scotch Lace Curtains, 3½ yards long; exact copies of Irish Point and Brussels Net; each pair guaranteed perfect. They would be splendid value at $2.00—our price Friday, a pair, only.....59c

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FAILS IN POLITICS CUTS HIS THROAT

Well-Known Lawyer in Illinois Ends Life From Disappointment.

DEFEATED THREE TIMES

Failed Twice in Conventions and Was Once Beaten at the Polls.

Thrice disapointed in his political ambition, William M. E. Todd, a well known lawyer and politician of Nokomis, Ill., 84 miles from St. Louis, ended his life by cutting his throat while his wife was absent from home.

At the recent Montgomery County Democratic primary, Todd was defeated for nomination for the office of Judge of the County Court. He had been defeated in 1898 for nomination for the same office, and in 1891 had obtained the nomination, only to be defeated at the polls.

His latest defeat came with crushing force. He had counted on the support of certain politicians, but the returns from the districts where these men were supposed to control votes convinced him that the promises had not been kept.

Mrs. Todd, who returned from a visit to her sister at Lincoln on learning of her husband's suicide, said Thursday that he had been deeply chagrined at his failure to obtain the nomination, but that he had given no intimation of his purpose to end his life.

A note which he left asked that his wife and his three children be not allowed to see his body. Another note asked his brother to care for the widow and children, and a third bore the sentence, "It was the curse of drink." His friends say he had not been drinking to excess.

Rev. D. V. Gowd, pastor of the Methodist church at Nokomis, found Todd seated in a chair, the head leaning over a basin. A razor was on the floor. Todd died soon afterward.

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They Will Perform Under Skule Master Andrew C. Maroney and an Astonishing Skule Committee of Six Solemn Citizens — Novel Entertainment at Odeon Friday Evening.

There'll be a mighty big attendance at the "Deestrick Skule" at the Odeon Friday evening, judging from the advance sale of reserved seats which opened at Barr's on Wednesday morning and is now under full headway. This isn't merely because the entertainment is under the auspices of the auxiliary society of the Baptist Orphans' Home, nor solely because Mr. Andrew C. Maroney, the terror of evil-doers, will be the strict and inflexible "skulemaster," nor yet simply because many of the leading society women of St. Louis are among the patronesses of the event—no, indeed! The vital reason is that one of the most astonishingly amusing entertainments every given in St. Louis will then and there be offered, the cast of the producing company being brilliant with the names of ordinarily grave and dignified St. Louisans who, for the time being, assume the mask of comedy and woo laughter from the lips of the multitude.

Funny?—that isn't the name for it! There'll be a discovery of hitherto unsuspected humor calculated to make professionals green with envy.

For it's on the bills that all this shall come to pass—and there are 50 "skollars" under contract to make it come to pass, not counting Mr. Maroney himself, who appears as Pedagogue Nathaniel Chuzzlewit, nor yet Mr. William Taylor as Buddy Honeysuckle, a 4-year-old; nor Mrs. Frances Reed as Sissy Honeysuckle, who looks after Buddy; nor Mrs. W. A. McCandless as Mrs. Honeysuckle, Buddy and Sissy's mamma; nor Prof. Arthur Lieber as the most amazing music master you ever saw in your life. And they're crackerjacks themselves—the Big Five of musical comedy.

Neither is that all, for there's a Skule Committee which is said to be the funniest ever, each especial and particular member being premier comedian in his own peculiar line. Who are they—these topliner stars on the Skule Committee of the "Deestrick Skule?" Why, no less distinguished a sextet of St. Louis vaudevillains than Gov. E. O. Stanard and "Deacon" Alphonso C. Stewart and "Judge" F. J. McMaster and "Prof." Sim T. Price, and Judge Shepard Barclay and "Squire" Thomas W. Crouch. It'll be the strangest thing in the world if these Six Sidesplitters, beginning right with Gov. Stanard, aren't besieged with golden offers from theatrical managers almost before the curtain falls on the "Deestrick Skule." Honest.

And not only will there be straight comedy every minute during the performance, but it'll be accompanied by music—and not all music of the topical and evanescent class, either. Mrs. David Bauer will sing two delightful solos, one of her numbers being an especially tuneful Robyn song, and Mrs. Nora Hughes Morse will also be heard in a beautiful solo of truly soul-satisfying quality. While, as for the incidental music—well, the Glen Echo orchestra, under Director John A. Eggert, will furnish this, and when that's said there's no need to say more.

The program of the entertainment is in itself full of golden promise emphasized in poesy. It starts off with a quotation from "The Deserted Village," which gives one an impressionist picture of the "Deestrick Skule" with Mr. Maroney at its head, such as couldn't have been conveyed in any other manner. Here it is:

Beside yon straggling fence that skirts the way,
With blossom'd furze unprofitably gay,
There, in his noisy mansion, skill'd to rule,
The village Master taught his little school.

Can't you see the "Deestrick Skule" in those lines—and especially Mr. Maroney, its Master? But Mr. Maroney doesn't get off that easily, however, for right under his name on the cast appears the following pen portrait, graphic in its terseness—and no doubt shiveringly subscribed to by a member of the St. Louis Police Force:

A man severe he was, and stern to view;
I knew him well, and every truant knew.

There you are—Maroney; the Terrible, drawn in two lines!

Then there's the full muster roll of "skollers"—just run your eyes over it and catch the significance of the St. Louis names there appearing:

Grace, Miss Pinkenhiner; Lucy, Mrs. Kenneth Green; Nellie Mrs. Frank Kauffman; Edna, Mrs. William K. Kavanaugh; Lulu, Mrs. Samuel R. Ball; Sarah Jane, Mrs. Perry Lewis; Lizzie, Mrs. Richard Holman; Addie, Mrs. Calvin R. Lightner; Grace, Mrs. William Taylor; Rena, Mrs. Warren Bailey; Nora, Mrs. Nora Hughes Morse; Burd, Mrs. Charles H. McKinney; Julia, Mrs. Ezra Hunt Dyer; Stella, Mrs. Dorsey A. Jamison; Sallie, Miss Sallie C. Bartalle; Ella, Miss Ella Moody; Blanche, Mrs. William H. Elliot; Helene, Miss Brown; Nellie, Miss McKeighan; Bessie, Miss Elliot; Jessamine, Mrs. Wallace Simmons; Jennie, Mrs. Jennie Bull; Sallie, Miss Jackson; Sallie Ann, Mrs. J. H. Hoskins; Clara, Mrs. William Mage; Mary, Mrs. John A. Laird; Mike, Mr. William Tompkins; James, Mr. J. M. Trotter; Frank, Mr. F. E. Kauffman; William, Mr. W. K. Kavanaugh; Cal, Dr. Calvin Lightner; Warren, Mr. Warren Bailey; Dick, Dr. R. S. Holman; Sam, Mr. S. B. Ball; Willie, Mr. W. C. Morris; Roy, Mr. Roy Bunch; Dempster, Mr. Dempster Godlove; Leon, Mr. Leon Gale; Rob, Mr. Robert Wilson; Steve, Mr. Steve Martin; Charles, Mr. C. H. McKinney; Alanson, Mr. A. D. Brown; William, Mr. William Mage; Jack, Mr. John A. Laird; John, Mr. J. D. Dalton; William, Mr. W. H. Elliot; Dorsey, Mr. D. A. Jamison; Joe, Mr. Joseph A. Buse; Tom, Dr. A. C. Robinson; Jess, Mr. Hubble.

Just to give you an idea, too, of the scenario of the story, and what's likely to happen, here is its synopsis as appearing on the program:

SYNOPSIS.

Boys and girls on the village road to skule.
"And then the whining schoolboy, with his satchel
And shining morning face, creeping like snail
Unwilling to school."
—As You Like It.

THE SKULE ROOM.

Spelling, Reading, Geography, Grammar.
Multiplication is vexation,
Division is as bad;
The rule of three perplexes me,
And practice drives me mad.
—Mother Goose.

II.
RECESS.

The playful children just let loose from school.
Those healthful sports that grac'd the peaceful scene.
The Deserted Village.

III.
THE SKULE ROOM.

Mrs. Honeysuckle's visit. Arrival Skule Committee.
Speeches, songs, compositions and other exercises.
Address from Skule Committee.
Auld Lang Syne.

And work?—the good ladies of St. Louis interested in the success of the "Deestrick Skule" are working like beavers to that end. It promises to be one of the most brilliant events of the year—everybody who is anybody will be on hand. The list of patronesses is as follows:

Mrs. Alphonso C. Stewart, Mrs. W. H. Gregg, Mrs. O. H. Peckham, Mrs. Hunt Dyer, Mrs. Joseph D. Bascom, Mrs. E. G. Scudder, Mrs. A. D. Brown, Mrs. Silas B. Jones, Mrs. Andrew C. Maroney, Mrs. Thomas W. Crouch, Mrs. Harvey G. Dunham, Mrs. Edgar D. Tilton, Mrs. Henry Elliot, Mrs. Kenneth Green, Mrs. William Duncan, Mrs. H. C. Huttig, Mrs. D. W. Guernsey, Mrs. R. S. Fleming, Mrs. Henry Elliot Jr., Mr. Howard Bailey, Mrs. T. J. Aken, Mrs. Murray French, Mrs. Paul Brown, Mrs. George M. Wright.

Don't forget—"The Deestrick Skule." Friday evening, at the Odeon. Skule takes in at 8:15.

Some St. Louisans Who Will Appear in "The Deestrick Skule"

"THE TWINS" MRS. R. S. HOLMAN (LEFT) MRS. WARREN BAILEY (RIGHT)

MRS. FRANCES REED AS "SISSY HONEYSUCKLE"

MRS. McCANDLESS AS "MRS. HONEYSUCKLE"

AGILITY AIDED HOTEL BURGLAR

Hotel Jefferson Robber Says He Wants His Sentence in Hurry.

Strength of arm and agility enabled Harrison Mennick, the acrobatic burglar, who was brought back from Chicago, to enter the room of Robert F. Rosenheim at the Hotel Jefferson, and while the guest slept to rob him of nearly $2000 in diamonds and money.

Mennick climbed over an outside window and up a fire escape to the fifth floor, where, he declares, he saw a window left invitingly open. He saw the guest asleep on his bed, and he went through his pockets and escaped without detection.

After telling how he had entered the guest's room, Mennick said to a Post-Dispatch reporter:

"I concluded to take a look at the stuff I had stolen. There was $35 in cash. There was a chamois bag, and when I opened this I saw there were five diamonds. There was also a swell penknife. I just knew that the stones were good, so I concluded to go to Chicago and get cash for them. I got into Chicago at 5 p. m. Sunday and it was about 9:30 the next morning when I went to a shop and sold the first ring for $20. Then I sold another for $60, and the third brought $35. I was trying to sell the fourth when the man sent for a 'copper' and I was 'pinched.'

"What was there to do but just admit it. Then, when the owner of the property came, I took him and the detectives to the shops, and we recovered all the property. There is no need of a trial with me. I will just go into court and admit the whole story. I want to get into the penitentiary as soon as possible and get my 'bit' over."

Mennick was brought back by Detective Edward Schenck. He made a confession to Chief of Detectives Desmond, and his case will be laid before Assistant Circuit Attorney Roeskopf at once.

WAS SELLING TICKETS.

This Is Policeman's Defense for Entering Saloon.

The Board of Police Commissioners will decide at its next meeting when the examination of patrolmen for sergeants and detectives will be held. Seventy men have been selected to be examined for sergeants and 40 declared eligible for promotion to detectives.

Sergt. Costello has preferred charges against Patrolman Dan O'Connor of the Manchester Avenue Station for entering a saloon while in uniform, not in the discharge of duty. O'Conner explains that eh entered the place to sell some tickets for the police relief entertainment.

Patrolman Patrick Curran is charged with being intoxicated and beating Charles W. O'Brien, 15 years old, knocking him off his bicycle and breaking the spokes of the wheel with his club, as told by the youth in Wednesday's Post-Dispatch.

Detective Fred Cosgrove will be tried on charges of immoral conduct and Patrolman H. S. Murphy must answer a charge of failing to appear as prosecuting witness.

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3 Pictures.

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3 Pictures.

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2 Rockers.
1 Rug.
3 Pictures.

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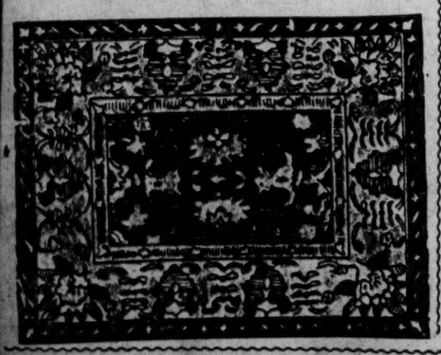

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BROKE BOTTLES ON NEGRO'S HEAD

When Substitution of Stick Was Proposed Kennedy Looked for a Fight.

Thomas Kennedy, a negro, who was fined $10 for disturbance of the peace in Judge O'Halleron's court Wednesday, lays all his trouble to the fact that he has been allowing a porter named Johnson, employed at Nolan's drug store at Goodfellow avenue and Suburban tracks, to break bottles over his head. He says that breaking the bottles became so common that Johnson grew tired of the sport and insisted on breaking a large stick on Kennedy's skull.

On the occasion when Kennedy's action resulted in his being arrested he entered the drug store with a club and threatened to clean out the place. Robert Johnson, a clerk in the store, notified a policeman, who arrested Kennedy after a chase.

On the witness stand Kennedy said that his mind had become affected by the continual breaking of bottles on his head. He said the club he was carrying at the time of his arrest was the one the porter wanted to test on his skull. He thought the porter was only trying to amuse himself at his expense. The thought made him angry and he took the club and began looking for a fight.

Fast Service to Michigan

Via Illinois Central Railroad. Daily, beginning June 24. Leave St. Louis 11:45 a. m., arrive Petoskey 6:25 a. m.; Bay View 6:28 a. m.; We-que-ton-sing 7:22 a. m.; Harbor Springs 7:25 a. m.

DRAMATIST BADLY HURT.

Author of "The Auctioneer" Falls in Subway.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Lee Arthur, the playwright, was probably mortally injured last night by a fall down the subway stairs at the Times Square Station. His skull was fractured and it was said at Roosevelt Hospital that he may not live but a short time. A newsboy who saw Mr. Arthur fall says he slipped on the top step. His body turned over several times before it landed on the cement floor at the bottom.

Because of the hurry to send the patient to the hospital the police and the ambulance surgeon failed to get Mr. Arthur's name. Peter Daly, the actor, went to the hospital later and identified him.

Mr. Arthur stopped at the Lamb's Club. He came to New York 10 years ago from a small town near New Orleans, where he was born. He had written many plays, but it was not until he produced "The Auctioneer," in which David Warfield starred, that his career was crowned with success.

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"But you don't know anything about keeping books."

"He wants me to keep 'em where the court can't get hold of 'em."

NOTE FROM MAN WHO SHOT SELF

Emil Weber Returned to Miss Charles Letter Written About Lawsuit.

The envelope addressed to Miss Helen M. Charles of 5060 Maple avenue, which was left by Emil Weber, a former Suburban mottorman who shot and killed himself in the Glendale station house Tuesday, reached Miss Charles through the mails Wednesday. It was sent to her by the St. Louis County Coroner. It contained a note from Weber, asking that she testify in Webers suit for alleged damages from an operation at the Centenary hospital while Miss Charles was studying to be a trained nurse.

In the note Miss Charles simply stated that she knew nothing of the case and therefore could not testify. According to the custom of Nurses she wrote this benediction at the end.

"May the Lord bless you and keep you and give you peace."

When the note was returned there was scrawled across it, "The Lord would have blessed me if you and others had testified to what you knew of the operation that caused me to lose a limb and to drive me to this."

Rev. Dr. B. H. Charles, retired pastor of the Brank Memorial church, said that his niece and her relatives were much relieved when the note was received and read. He had at first contemplated destroying the note without opening it but, knowing that there could be nothing hid, he decided to have it read.

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Y. W. C. A. Athletic Contests.

The members of the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium, 703 Garrison avenue, will hold their final athletic contests and closing exercises Thursday evening in the Association gymnasium.

The feature contests will be a dumb bell relay race, a high jumping contest and a basket ball game.

Miss Crouch, the gymnasium instructor, will depart next week for her home in Rochester, where she will spend the summer.

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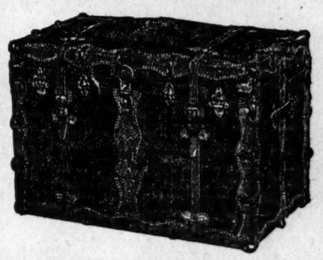

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CHANDLER AND BAILEY NAIL A RATE BILL LIE

Declare Publication in Roosevelt's Pet Paper an Inspired Falsehood.

IS UP TO WHITE HOUSE

Attack on Bailey's Integrity Puts President in a Bad Light.

NOTE TO LOEB MISUSED

Chandler Will Publicly Deny He Made Statements Attributed to Him.

"Man Who Inspired Attack on Me Is a Liar," Says Bailey.

The Chicago Tribune, recognized as practically a personal organ of President Roosevelt's, published a story attacking Senator Bailey's integrity. It came from the Washington correspondent, and stated, in effect, that Mr. Bailey was regarded as a traitor by men high in his own party.

When his attention was called to the publication, Senator Bailey, evidently believing that the item was inspired and had its origin at the White House, if not from President Roosevelt direct, arose in the Senate chamber and said:

"I denounce the publication as an unqualified, deliberate and malicious lie. I denounce the correspondent as an unqualified, deliberate and malicious liar. I **denounce the man who inspired the statement as an unqualified, deliberate and malicious liar, whoever he may be and however high the office he holds.**"

When he first spoke, he did not have knowledge of a similar publication in the New York Tribune. His attention being called to it, he rose again and applied the same language to the New York story.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Ex-Senator Chandler will go on record today indignantly repudiating the Chicago Tribune story that he notified the White House that Senator Bailey was regarded with grave suspicion by the Democrats during the rate bill discussion.

It was this story that brought out Bailey's terrific denunciation yesterday, in which he placed the inspiration of the story right up to the White House.

This note from Chandler to Mr. Roosevelt is on file at the White House and presumably only Mr. Roosevelt and Secretary Loeb have access to it. How the Chicago Tribune's correspondent learned of it is a matter of surmise, but as the Tribune is to all intents and purposes an organ of the President, wide-awake Washington has its ideas well developed.

Bailey sent to ex-Senator Chandler and asked for a copy of the memorandum as soon as the Chicago story arrived here. He obtained it and will put it in the Congressional Record, together with a letter from Mr. Chandler.

Chandler left his memorandum or note with Secretary Loeb on April 11. Neither he nor Senator Bailey will give out the exact text of the communication, but the Post-Dispatch correspondent is able to state that the substance of what Chandler wrote is this:

"The railroad senators are trying to obtain a broad court review by the adoption of the Bailey anti-injunction amendment, and are trying to get Bailey to help them. I do not know what their game is, except that it is to defeat him (meaning the President). Senator Tillman will continue to cooperate with the President. Please hand this to the President."

This note was left for Loeb by Chandler on April 11, the day before Senator Bailey had made his great speech in favor of his amendment.

Between April 11 and 14 Senator Bailey says he received word from two Democratic Senators, whom he does not name, that the President had said to them that he would insist on the Bailey anti-injunction amendment if Attorney-General Moody would say it was constitutional.

Acting on this information, Bailey accepted the invitation he received from Chandler on April 14 to confer with Moody, and he went to see Moody on Sunday, April 15, or four days after Chandler left the note with Loeb for the President, in which, it is charged, he called Bailey a traitor.

Senator Bailey intends to make all these facts clear today, both by the submission of the exact text of the Chandler memorandum and the letter from Mr. Chandler in which these facts are recited. He declares that this chronological history of the affair clears both Mr. Chandler and himself and leaves the President in a still more embarassing position, if, as he intimates, and as is generally charged, he inspired the publication of the dispatches which were denounced by Bailey and Tillman.

After Senator Bailey learned the substance of the Chandler memorandum and before he had the exact text, he saw Mr. Chandler and said to him: "Why did you, in this memorandum, exclude me from co-operation with Senator Tillman?"

"Because," replied Mr. Chandler, "I had never talked with you about the rate bill. I knew nothing of your position at the time I wrote it, and, therefore, was not authorized to say anything in regard to it. I did know Senator Tillman's position and was warranted in explaining it to the President."

"That explanation," Senator Bailey said, "is perfectly satisfactory to me."

There is great curiosity in the Senate to learn the language of Mr. Chandler's communication to Loeb. When Senators heard what it was and also heard the recital of facts connected with it, they were amazed that the President, if he thought that Senator Bailey was working against the limited review amendment in common with the railroad Senators, should have asked Bailey to confer with Attorney-General Moody, and should have allowed the negotiations to continue until he broke them himself by embracing the Aldrich gold brick in the shape of the Allison amendment.

They think another explanation is due from the White House, provided, of course, the White House had anything to do with inspiring the articles Senators Bailey and Tillman denounced.

They asked who could have inspired them but the White House, for nobody knew what was in the memorandum but the President and Loeb, and Tillman and Chandler evidently did not think aBiley a traitor, for they continued working with him and are working with him yet.

A significant thing about this whole controversy, involving, as it now does, the veracity of so many men of prominence, is that since Senator Lodge arose last Saturday and delivered to the Senate the President's telephone message that ex-Senator Chandler was a "deliberate and unqualifid" liar, not a Republican Senator has raised his voice in defense of the President, and the only utterance upholding the President the Senate has heard is the President's own plea in his letter to Senator Allison, and the time-serving letter of Attorney-General Moody.

Some Prominent Men Whose Veracity Has Been Questioned by the President

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OLD EMPLOYE ENDS HIS LIFE IN STORE

Charles Brown, in Ill Health, Shot Self in Simmons Establishment.

DOORKEEPER LONG TIME

He Had Recently Bought New Home on Itaska Street—Left a Note.

Charles W. Brown, for many years doorkeeper for the Simmons Hardware Co., Ninth and Spruce streets, was missing from his customary place Thursday. Six hundred employes of the establishment missed his nod as they passed through the doors, and many customers during the day inquired about him. They were told that Brown had ended his life.

Brown left his post at 5 p. m. Wednesday and went to a lavatory on the second floor. He took off his hat and coat, a bullet through his brain. He had been a bullet through his brin. He had been in ill health for several months.

Those on the second floor heard the report of a revolver but thought it came from a box falling on the floor and paid no attention. A boy on the floor named Cullen, however, had keener ears and went to investigate. He discovered the lifeless body on the floor and fled in terror to the manager of the house.

Not wishing to frighten the employes, mostly women and girls, the officers of the company kept news of the suicide from becoming current and obtained permission from the Coroner to leave the body in the lavatory until the store was closed.

Had Bought New Home.

Brown lived at 3568 Itaska street with his wife and 10-year-old son. He had recently moved from 3629 Missouri avenue and had paid $200 on the home, which he was buying on the installment plan. Brown had recently returned from a trip to Colorado for his health. He formerly had been a hotel clerk.

On the body a note addressed to Wallace D. Simmons was found. It will be given to Mr. Simmons at the inquest, which was begun Thursday.

It presumably contains explanation of his reason for committing suicide. Two promissory notes, each for $300, were also found. One was marked paid, but the other had gone to protest March 26. They were indorsed by W. D. Simmons. A diamond ring, a diamond stud, gold watch and $7.50 in money were found on the body.

Brown was 45 years old. He was of a cheerful disposition and was well liked in the establishment. He recently told Al Nert, from whom he was buying his home on Itaska street, that he did not mind living so far from the car line, as he would not have to walk long. In the presence of Nert, Brown told his 10-year-old son that he would leave him enough money to pay for the home and to educate himself, as he had $5000 life insurance.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Missouri—Showers and thunderstorms Thursday night or Friday; cooler Friday and in west portion Thursday night.

Iowa—Showers and thunderstorms Thursday night and Friday; cooler Friday and in west portion Thursday night.

South Dakota—Generally fair Thursday night and Friday; cooler Thursday night.

Nebraska—Showers and cooler Thursday night; Friday generally fair.

Kansas—Showers and thunderstorms Thursday night or Friday; cooler.

Illinois—Fair and continued warm Thursday night; Friday showers and thunderstorms and cooler; brisk southwest winds.

OFTEN MEANS FIGHT IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 17.—The word liar, "as applied by one gentleman to another," in South Carolina, has meant a fight in many instances. With both parties present a blow is expected. The Earle-Evans mix-up on the political stump in 1898, when both were candidates for Governor, is well remembered. There are several other ocmembered. There are several other occasions that could be recalled where a blow quickly followed the word or implication.

Not Many Left.

Nearly every boy and girl in St. Louis and suburbs has found the Post-Dispatch mysterious MAGIC AGE TELLER a source of endless amusement. The supply is almost exhausted. If you are not supplied send a 2-cent stamp to Want Ad Manager, Post-Dispatch, St. Louis, Mo.

LITTLE WORD USED BY ROOSEVELT HAS ENDED MANY LIVES

Comparatively Safe to Call a Man a Liar in Washington, but in Some Other Places It Means a Fight or a Footrace

—Some Famous Duels.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—The epithet "liar" does not mean a fight or a footrace in Washington, as it does in the South and West.

Liar has three meanings in Washington: Executive, legislative and common or garden.

The executive meaning is that somebody has told the truth about you.

The legislative meaning is that somebody has told something uncomfortable about you.

The common or garden meaning is that somebody has lied, but that coarse interpretation is rapidly falling into disuse. It is being crowded out by the executive and legislative meanings, so to speak.

IT MEANS DEATH OR A DRINK IN KENTUCKY.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 17.—The lie in Kentucky means death or the drinks. Generally speaking, it means a fight; and for any man to swallow the lie means that his streak of yellow is so broad and long as to make him contemptible in the eyes of his fellow men.

Years ago in a famous Republican State Convention at Music Hall in Louisville two factions were headed by scions of the bluest-blooded families in all Kentucky. They were the Goodloe and Swope families. One faction was led by Cassius M. Goodloe, and Armisted M. Swope led the other. Dirty politics was dragged in, and then came personalities, personalities too sacred for expression. The lie was passed, Goodloe giving it to Swope.

Everybody that afternoon looked for a killing, but with the persuasiveness and argument attendant upon all State conventions, especially in Kentucky, the men were kept apart, but those who best knew A. M. Swope and Cassius Goodloe knew for certain that the lie which had been passed meant a death. It meant two deaths.

For months the men were kept apart. But each went armed and each was ready for a fight to the death.

Both Goodloe and Swope had letter boxes in the Lexington Postoffice. One afternoon Swope went after his mail. He was leaning over, locking his box after taking out his mail, when Goodloe came in. As Swope looked up and saw Goodloe, two lives were doomed. Swope drew his revolver and Goodloe his knife. Three bullets went all the way through Goodloe's body, and with fearful effect Goodloe plunged his long knife into Swope's body. Neither said a word then. They meant to kill. Goodloe died in the Postoffice lobby and his last words were: "He bellowed like a calf." Swope was taken to his home and died that night.

That is where the lie in Kentucky means death. Here is where it means the drinks.

A few years after the Goodloe-Swope tragedy, Jack Chinn and Bob Tucker, both famous in the turf world, had the most prominent stables at Latonia race tracks. Tucker was handling the string of Capt. Sam S. Brown, and Jack Chinn had his own stable, headed by the mighty Lissak.

Something had gone wrong and somebody went to Tucker and recited how Jack Chinn had called him numerous kinds of —— and un—— liars. Tucker is nothing if not game, and straight to Jack Chinn he went. The genial Jack laughed at the wrathy Robert and said:

"Say, Bob, if you listen to all the —— liars in this world you will have dyspepsia. Let's have a drink."

They had a drink and there the incident ended.

LIAR MEANS FIGHT OR FOOTRACE IN TEXAS.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

HOUSTON, Tex., May 17.—In Texas the epithet "liar" is an invitation for trouble. When used by one Southern gentleman to another deliberately it is with the understanding that it calls for violent resentment. It is a direct thrust at his manhood and means a fight or a footrace. Ho overlook the epithet indicates either guilt or cowardice, and with a silent acceptance of either, all right to be called a gentleman is forfeited. An immediate apology is demanded, otherwise the resort is to pistols, either upon the spot, if both persons happen to be armed, or afterward. Frequently apologies are forced at the revolver point.

So general is the understanding and so positive is the sentiment that the epithet is seldom used except with the deliberate purpose of provoking trouble or in return for a positive and a maliciously uttered false statement. As a matter of course, such episodes are seldom made public, more especially when they occur between prominent men.

The exception in instances proves the rule. No story of public life in Texas is more widely known than is the event in which President Sam Houston figured. To this day men speak of it with wonder.

During the days when Houston was the chief executive of the Republic of Texas, politics were at a white heat. Every man was interested and every man was prepared to back up his assertions by force of arms.

One day while on his way to the executive mansion President Houston was accosted by a bitter enemy. Abuse was heaped upon him. In the course of the argument the President was called a "malicious liar."

"Your saying so does not prove it," declared Sam Houston, as he passed on.

The episode has been handed down in Texas history as a remarkable event.

The innocence of Sam Houston in the charge preferred is said to have been proven and now that the greatness of the liberator of Texas is again recognized in the country he once governed, the event is accepted as indicating his strength of mind, his self-control and his superiority over, not alone his accuser, but over the general run of men.

In Texas Senator Bailey is not placed upon the plane of the man who accused President Houston. He is accepted as a man of honor, and when he applies the epithet of "liar" those who know him believe that he does so with deliberation and forethought, with the knowledge in mind that it is a mortal insult, its silent acceptance indicating the guilt of the man he accuses.

FREQUENTLY FOLLOWED BY DUEL IN GEORGIA.

ATLANTA, Ga., May 17.—Georgia the "lie direct" is considered an affront involving the honor of a gentleman termed "a liar." In the old dueling days many notable encounters resulted from the use of this epithet. It is generally considered that a man who will "take a lie" will not resent any other insult.

Only recently the use of this epithet produced such strained relations between Col. John Temple Graves and Col. James W. English Jr., chief of the Governor's staff, that only the utmost efforts of friends prevented a formal resort to the field of honor. Though not provided by law, it is the general course of procedure in court affairs resulting fom personal encounters to regard the "lie" as the first blow. This has been the turning point on which many men accused of murder have got off on light sentences where "the lie" was passed, blows followed, and finally the man who was denounced killed the giver of the epithet. In such cases it has frequently been held that the man who "gave the lie" precipitated the trouble.

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IN OUR BASEMENT

$5.50 Skirts, for $2.98
Skirt made exactly as cut—fancy plaid material—tailor strapped—button trimmed—full circular style.....$2.98

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Black and White Fancy Shepherd Plaid
Panel plaits in front and back; three rows of narrow velvet ribbon, trimmed on bottom; on sale tomorrow..$3.98

$1.98 Wash Skirts, $1.25
Made of soft finish Indian Head Duck; full new circular style; 3 folds around bottom; man-tailored...$1.25

$3.98 Wash Skirts, $2.25
Made of good quality wash Poplin; full circular style; bias fold around bottom; tailor-made.....$2.25

$5.00 Wash Skirts, $2.75
This beautiful Skirt; made of fine butcher linen; three rows of cluster tucks; full circular style; well tailored.....$2.75

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Made extra quality Indian Head duck; cluster plaited all around; circular style; tailor stitched....$2.50

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THIS sweeping Shirt Waist Sale, the most remarkable one ever launched in this country, enters upon its fifth day tomorrow—the assortments are still grandly complete—hundreds of this season's smartest and most effective models are included—it'll pay you to supply your Waist needs for the entire Summer while these values are so much in your favor.

92c

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For $1.75 and $2

Shirt Waists

Of excellent quality white lawns—in over a hundred catchy styles — variously trimmed with pretty embroideries, laces, etc.—long or short sleeves — Waists that are well made, cut amply full and worth $1.75 and $2—Friday, your choice for **92c.**

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For $3.50 and $4

Shirt Waists

Beautiful lawns, batistes and China silks, in scores of dainty and captivating models—all sorts of effects — various lace and embroidery trimmings—long and short sleeves—also black lawn Waists — excellently made and cleanly finished—actual $3.50 and $4.00 values—Friday, choice for **$1.85.**

$1.85

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For $5 and $6

Shirt Waists

Of superior quality India lawns, batistes and China silks—exquisitely trimmed with laces, embroideries, medallions, etc.—ninety chic and effective models — see them yourself, they're really beautiful and will give splendid service—actual $5 and $6 values—Friday, your choice for **$2.85.**

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$12.50 LINEN SUITS, $7.98—Nobby Eton Coat Suits—of good quality linen—coat embroidery and lace trimmed—short sleeves—skirt circular style, embroidered to match coat—light blue, pink and white—worth $12.50—Friday, choice.. **7.98**

$50 CLOTH SUITS, $25—Choice of all our finest Cloth Suits—Panamas, voiles, serges, broadcloths and novelty cloths—fully 25 charming models—all colors—up to $50 values—Friday, at Famous, choice for..... **$25**

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$5 WASH SKIRTS, $2.98—Excellently made of pure linen in six different models—plaited front and back with bias folds—some plain flared styles, with rows of embroidery insertion — actual $5.00 values—Friday, at Famous, choice for..... **2.98**

$2.50 WASH SKIRTS, $1.48—Beautifully made of soft-finish Indian head duck—cut full and perfectly tailored—in the new circular style, with bias fold on bottom—2-inch hem—$2.50 values—very practical warm-weather skirts—Friday..... **1.48**

$7 SILK ETONS, $4.98—Jaunty Eton Coats of superior quality taffeta—fancy braided collar—white lining—all sizes—worth $7—Friday, at Famous, and they're great values—Very special for..... **4.98**

$2.50 to $3.50 Petticoats for $1.50 Friday

Three splendid new styles—one has deep flounce of beautiful open embroidery—another has knee flounce of lace insertion and fine tucks, and another has flounce of heavy Cluny lace insertions and tucks running diagonally and extra lace flounce—all of excellent cambric—cut full and wide and worth $2.50 to $3.50—Friday, at Famous, choice for—

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40c Corset Covers, 25c—Of cambric—deep yoke of lace insertion and edging—ribbon drawn—worth 40c—Friday..... **25c**

45c Cambric Drawers, 29c—Deep flounce, with wide Cluny lace edging—worth 45c—Friday at..... **29c**

35c Dressing Sacques, 19c—Of lawn—kimono style—fancy figures, polka dots and flower effects—white lawn facings—35c value—Friday.. **19c**

39c to 50c Tub Belts, 25c

Scalloped, double edge, embroidered back Belts—fully 11 inches of eyelet or other embroidery — rose designs — heavy rounded pearl buckle — twenty styles—worth 39c to 50c—Friday only, your choice for..... **25c**

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Women's White All-Lisle Vests—low neck, sleeveless; silk ribbon at neck and arms—strictly first quality—our regular 25c kind—Friday, special for..... **17c**

19c Vests for 9c—Women's White Vests—low neck—sleeveless or with wing sleeves—ribbon at neck and arms—some extra sizes in the lot—worth 19c—Friday, special for..... **9c**

19c Hosiery for 11c—Women's Fast Black Hose—regular or out sizes—plain lisle finished or dropstitch—extra splicing throughout—an excellent 19c value—Friday, very special for..... **11c**

50c Hosiery for 27c—Women's Imported Black Gauze Lisle Hose—garter top, spliced selvedge seam, extra splicing at sole, heel and toe—sold regularly at 50c—Friday, very special for..... **27c**

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$18.00 Velvet Rugs for $13.50
Full 9x12 ft. Velvet Rugs, in rich colorings; worth $18.00—Friday at..... **13.50**

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38c

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New and striking designs in printed Floor Linoleum—worth 60c—Friday, yard..... **39c**

75c Linoleum for 50c
Best quality Printed Linoleum; including a few short lengths inlaid—worth up to 85c—yard..... **50c**

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Of duck, crash and pique—plain and with emblems—worth 39c—Friday..... **18c**

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Remnants of Laces and Embroideries

Good lengths—this season's newest styles at these much reduced prices for Friday:

20c to 25c French Val. Lace, Edges and Insertions—bolt of 1 dozen yards..... **12c**
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50c New Reform Hard Rubber Combs—coarse, and coarse and fine teeth..... **25c**
39c Sta-Kleen Tooth Brushes—self-cleansing..... **25c**
35c Heavy Chamois—good size..... **21c**
19c Hand Russian Rubber Flesh Brushes..... **10c**
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LIME TRACES ON HEADLESS BODY IN POOL

Physician and Coroner Believe It Was Smeared on by Murderers.

MADISON MAN MISSING

Joe Nellis Not Seen Since Shortly After Quarrel in Saloon.

VERDICT NAMES PLESE

Recommends That Authorities Seek Further Facts Regarding Him.

Traces of lime on the body taken headless from a pool behind a Madison saloon, and on the clothing, are regarded by Dr. W. H. Grayson and Coroner Streeper as indicating that the lime was used in the hope of destroying the body. They thus brand as a murder the second mysterious violent death which has developed in Madison within a week.

Dr. Grayson, who appeared before the Coroner's jury after examining the body and the head, found later in the pool, stakes his professional reputation on the statement that the lime was placed on the body before it was thrown into the pool. He believes it was smeared on the face and hands and slapped on the clothing in soft lumps. He also believes that a rope, with weight attached, was around the neck, and that the lime ate off the neck, severing the head.

The inquest also developed the fact that Joe Nellis, who had part in a fight in Plese's saloon and is said to have slapped the saloon keeper's daughter, has since been missing. His description resembles that of the body.

The coroner's jury listened to the stories of witnesses until early Thursday. It heard how the body was first found, how the head was discovered later, of quarrels and frequent shooting affrays in Plese's saloon. It heard the report of Dr. W. H. Grayson and Coroner Streeper that the body was packed in lime. It heard Anton Plese tell about having lime in his shed next where the body was found. It heard Anton's 15-year-old daughter excitedly cry a sentence interpreted as follows:

"Don't tell them, father, you wanted the pool filled up with dirt; say it was the cellar you wanted filled."

The jury rendered this verdict:

"We find that the unknown man came to his death from an unknown cause, but recommend that the duly authorized officers of the county make a thorough investigation of this matter in general and any part that Anton Plese may have had in it in particular."

The body was that of a man 5 feet 8 inches tall. His belt measured to a worn eyelet about 34 inches. This shows a good girth and a fairly heavy man. The condition of the leg bones indicated a man 25 or 30 years old.

Young Man's Garments.

A derby hat found with the body was punctured through the crown. A bullet might have made the hole. The hat had been brown and was of good quality. A celluloid collar was still about the neck. A good silk necktie, tied in a fancy knot, peculiarly a young man's knot, was with the collar. The coat was of diagonal pattern, possibly a serge of good quality, and dark. The vest was dark and of hard-finished goods. Both were well lined. The trousers matched the coat. The shoes, size 7 or 7½, were of dressy sort.

The hosiery was a fancy plaid with green and white stripes. Although the hosiery is in substantial shape, there is not a trace of shoestrings in either shoe.

About the body was first found one belt—a stylish thin belt worn by well dressed young men. Inside was found another less showy belt. This may have been a money belt. A break in it may indicate where money was cut away from it.

About all the skull indicates is a high forehead. The action of the lime had eradicated nearly all traces of flesh. Three teeth are missing from the front of the upper jaw. There are no gold fillings in any of the other teeth. They were not greatly worn, and the physicians think them further proof that the man was young.

No buttons which might identify the maker of the clothing, no money or papers were found about the body or in the pockets. The two belts seem the most likely means of identifying the man.

After the skull was taken from the pool, the presence of lime in great quantities was noticed.

A Post-Dispatch reporter questioned Anton Plese, the saloon keeper.

"Do you use any lime?" he was asked.

"What's that?" he asked with a shrug of the shoulders. "Lime, lime? I don't known what you mean."

He finally understood the word, and said he used lime to do whitewashing with.

"How much did you buy?"

"Two barrels."

"Got any now?"

Plese lead the way to the shed not five feet from where the body was found. He pointed out a full barrel of lime, and said the other barrel he bought had been used in whitewashing. There was none of it left. The empty barrel was not there, although the full one was.

Plese succeeded Joe Matlevic in the saloon at Tenth and Madison avenue, Madison, two years and seven months ago. The property is rented from Mrs. John Sechora, a widow, of North Vandalia. She ordered the work done which disclosed the crime.

Plese has usually about 10 men boarding in the house. He came to Madison from a town in Northern Illinois. In his family are his daughter, Anna Plese, a pretty, red-cheeked girl of 15 years, his wife, Anton Plese, a nephew, 8 years old, is one of the boarders.

ANTON PLESE AND HIS DAUGHTER ANNIE, AS THEY APPEARED AT INQUEST IN HEADLESS BODY MYSTERY

ANTONE PLESE.

ANNIE PLESE

The Coroner's jury was: Foreman, Letcher Owsley; George I. Smith, B. J. Walter, T. F. Reilly, Robert Henderson and William Street.

In their presence Coroner Streeper examined the body and the clothing found on it. Dr. W. H. Grayson, an experienced practitioner, told the jury after examining the body:

"The bones of the leg show this man was between 25 and 30 years old. He was 5 feet 8 inches and weighed well in proportion to his height.

Death Might Be Recent.

"I am absolutely certain the body was packed in lime. The flesh is full of lime. This could not be a case of lime getting on the body by chance. It was put there with the body.

"How long would it take for the lime to have the effect noticeable in this case?" he was asked.

"It might take only three or four days," said the physician. The lime would cremate the body and leave it about as it is now. But I think the body was sunk longer than that time. The man may have been dead six months."

Coroner Streeper, before he had advantage of Dr. Grayson's conclusions, made this unqualified statement:

"I have no doubt the body was buried in lime. It was evidently packed in lime by the murderer." The almost total lack of odor shows the presence of lime in large quantities. They could make their deductions from that if the lime were not already very apparent to the eye.

Girl of 15 Tends Bar.

Following the statement of the expert, the taking of testimony of witnesses in the inquest began.

Annie Plese, the saloon keeper's daughter, was called first. In answer to questions of Foreman Owsley, she said she was 15 years old and tends bar sometimes for her father.

Last November, she said, 20 men made trouble in the saloon when her father was in Indianapolis. One of them slapped her face. Her father's friends in the place did not protect her, and the men walked out and fired a shot back at the saloon. They struck her mother before going.

In the testimony the girl spoke about Milo Clinton, who then lived near the saloon, who was said to have been one of the party who make the disturbance.

"Did you ever see Milo after that night?" she was asked.

"He came in the saloon sometimes," she said.

Anton Plese was sworn. Although he can make himself understood in English fairly well, he insisted upon having one of his countrymen act as interpreter. The latter solemnly assured the jury he could not say anything that was "wrong."

When questions were asked of the interpreter, to be interpreted to Plese, the interpreter usually answered them himself.

Through this interpreter Plese told of the number of boarders, and how they came and went.

No Lime Put in Pool.

"What did you use lime for?"

"To whitewash my place."

"How much did you use?"

"Two barrels I bought; I only used one barrel."

"Did you ever put lime out there?"

"No, I never put any lime there."

"Did anyoody else in your house ever put lime there?"

"No."

"There's no way to get back there, is there except through your saloon or house?

"No, that's the only way."

"So if lime was put there, it came from your house?"

"I suppose so."

Man Slapped Daughter.

"Do you know the man that slapped Annie's face?"

"She pointed him out once, but I would not remember him. He was on the street when Annie pointed him out. I don't think he has ever been in the saloon since then."

"What did you do to him for slapping Annie's face?"

"Nothing."

"Do you love your daughter?"

"Sure, I guess so."

"You love her and then let a man slap her face without doing anything?"

At this point the jury dismissed the witness temporarily.

Man Has Been Missing.

M. D. Harrod, who lives across the street, said in answer to questions: "There was a great deal of shooting over at Plese's. Shots were fired night after night. They fought quite frequently. I have noticed many people drunk. A man came out Sunday very drunk and lay down on the sidewalk across the street. Every week there is a shooting, fight or something. Along in January, one night about 10 o'clock, I heard a shot fired and saw men running."

Milo Clinton, testified about missing Joe Nellis. Clinton had been in a fight in Plese's place, when a man, possibly Nellis, slapped Annie Plese. Nellis answered, in a general way, the description of the dead man.

Nellis has been missing since three days after the fight in the saloon. When he left, he said to Clinton: "Can I have my clothes, Joe?" He took his clothes and had not been seen in Madison since. Where he went Clinton did not know.

Clinton thought the shoes looked like Nellis,' the hat did not look like that worn by Nellis. Nellis' forehead was high. The frontal bone of the skeleton was high.

Anton Plese was recalled to the stand, with Mike Gardick, a big labor boss, as interpreter.

Plese was asked more questions about lime.

Denies Putting Lime In.

"You can cut me up in pieces, if I did anything wrong," was his reply. "You can look me up in the old country. I was a soldier. My record is good."

"Did you ever put lime in the pool?"

"No, sir," emphatically. "I never put any lime there."

"Did you ever tell anyone to put lime there?"

"No, I did not."

"How did the lime get there?"

"I don't know. I didn't put it there."

"Who put the body there?"

"Don't tell me that question. You make me mad," he cried, waving his arms excitedly, his eyes snapping fire.

Plese, questioned along another line, said men never get drunk in his place and when they did get drunk he sent them home. He put one man to bed once, he said.

"Anybody ever fire pistols off in your place?" Owsley asked him.

"No."

In two years and seven months?"

"Yes, only two barrels."

Girl Interrupts.

"Did you talk to Annie and your wife about filling in the pool?"

"Yes, I wanted it filled up."

When his daughter, standing just outside the door heard the question and answer, she rushed in.

With face flushed, the child spoke in her own language to her father.

He, too, became excited and waved his arms.

"What did she say?" he demanded of the interpreter.

Plese said something in his own tongue to Gardick, the interpreter, and looked menacingly at home.

Gardick shrugged his shoulders. When pressed for an interpretation of the girl's remark, he said:

"She told her father not to say he wanted the pool filled; to say he wanted the cellar filled."

The girl afterwards explained that she wanted her father to be calm and not say anything that was not true—anything to injure himself. She said she cautioned him, but did not tell him what to say.

Annie was recalled and asked if she had told Mrs. Voorhees, wife of the Deputy Coroner, that her father wanted the place filled in. She said she had not made any such remark. She said her father said he wanted the cellar filled in.

The jury's report was then made.

SENATE DEFEATS 4TH COMMANDMENT

Offered as Amendment to Rate Bill and Is Voted Down.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—In the mist of its other trials and tribulations the Senate has shown to an amazed world that it, collectively, does not know the Tenth Commandment from the fourth. More than that, the Senate stolidly voted against the Fourth Commandment as an amendment to the rate bill.

The Fourth Commandment was the last amendment offered before the rate bill was pronounced completed so far as the Senate, acting in Committee of the Whole, was concerned. It was proposed by Mr. McLaurin of Mississippi, who had completed an earnest plea for a long and short haul provision in the bill.

"I suppose," said Mr. McLaurin in disgust, as his amendment was defeated, "that this Republican Senate would vote down the Lord's Prayer if offered as an amendment."

Mr. McLaurin said he would give the Senate an opportunity in this direction, as he would propose a portion of the Tenth Commandment as an amendment. He submitted an amendment prohibiting the running of all trains engaged in interstate commerce between the hours of sunrise and sunset on the Sabbath day. Repeating again that this was based on a portion of the Tenth Commandment, Mr. McLaurin read several verses from the twentieth chapter of Exodus, in which work of all kind was forbidden on the Sabbath day.

"I want every Senator to realize," said Mr. McLaurin, "that in casting a negative vote he is voting against the Tenth Commandment—remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy." Mr. McLaurin said that he desired ayes and nay vote on this proposition in order that every Senator might go on record.

It became apparent that not one member of the United States Senate is familiar with the Commandments. No one disputed Mr. McLaurin's repeated assertion that he was dealing with the Tenth Commandment, whereas his provision was applicable to the Fourth Commandment.

Several Senators made inquiries as to whether the running of trains on Sunday violated the Commandments and Mr. McLaurin replied: "That is what Moses said, and I want to give Moses a fair chance." The amendment was rejected without a division.

REPORT RAILROAD HEAD TO RESIGN

Coal Mine Probe May Lead Cassett to Quit the Pennsylvania.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 17.—Reports that Alexander J. Cassatt has determined to resign the presidency of the Pennsylvania Railroad Co., in consequence of the disclosures in the railroad and coal mines investigation, yesterday reached the Interstate Commerce Commission.

It is said that before leaving for Europe last week Mr. Cassatt told some of his closest personal friends that he has been grossly deceived by his subordinates concerning the actual acts and conditions in the management of the company. He had relied upon statements made to him which, in the light of recent developments, have proved false.

It appears that at the conference held at Broad Street Station some days before President Cassatt left for Europe Francis S. Gowan, general solicitor of the Pennsylvania Railroad, having had placed before him all the evidence of discrimination and crookedness, said but one course was open. That was, he said, not to attempt to disprove the harsh facts, but accept them as found.

Bitter as the dose would be, counsel said that officers of the company called by the commission as witnesses must tell the truth and not seek to deny what would be proved.

Railroad Men "Bought."

After several prominent officials of the Pennsylvania Railroad who directly control the disposition of the cars, had confessed before the Interstate Commerce Commission to accepting gifts of money and stock from the big coal mining companies, John M. Jamison of the Jamison Coal and Coke Co. told how he had bought favors in this way by judicious subsidizing of railroad men.

He said that through J. R. McGinley of Pittsburg, Robert Pitcairn, now assistant to the president of the Pennsylvania Railroad and formerly connected with the Pittsburg division, had received 500 shares of stock in the Jamison company. Mr. Pitcairn did not want the stock, however, and the witness had bought it back from him for 5000. He had been told by Mr. McGinley that Mr. Pitcairn said he preferred the money to the stock.

"Why was this stock offered to Mr. Pitcairn?" the witness was asked.

"I believe Mr. McGinley considered him a good man to have in the company because of his railroad connections," replied Mr. Jamison.

The witness was asked if he held any stock in trust. He replied there were 400 shares in his name which belonged equally to Edward Pitcairn, trainmaster of the Pittsburg division, and R. L. O'Donnell, general superintendent of the Buffalo and Allegheny Valley division. This had been presented to the men named.

Asked if there were any other railroad officials who held stock in the company, Mr. Jamison said George W. Clark, car distributor in Altoona, Pa., had 100 shares and Joseph Boyer employed in the office of A. W. Gibbs, superintendent of motive power of the Pennsylvania, had 200 shares.

George W. Creighton, general superintendent of the Pennsylvania Railroad division in Altoona, said for a number of years the ratings and percentages of the various coal companies was regarded as confidential. He was asked how it was possible under these conditions for a coal company to know whether it was receiving its proper supply. He replied that it was not possible.

He admitted under fire that he owned stock in a number of coal companies, the shares having been presented to him while he was in charge of the distribution of cars over the division on which the mines are located.

"THANK YOU," FOR JAIL.

Old Man Grateful for Effort to Reform Him.

Edward Fariman of Argenta, Ark., a carpenter, 70 years old, arraigned Thursday in the Court of Criminal Correction on a charge of stealing carpenters' tools, pleaded guilty.

"I don't know why I took them," he said. "I never did anything like that before. I had been on a spree and I guess I didn't know just what I was doing."

"I am going to send you to Jail for 75 days, Fariman," said Judge Moore. "I am not doing that so much to punish you as to give you the benefit of medical treatment. You still show the effects of your spree. Probably if you are kept away from whisky for a couple of months and given stimulating medicine it will straighten you up."

"Thank you, Your Honor," said Fariman.

A Good Test.

From the Detroit Free Press.

"Do you really think this medicine will cure your dog's cough?" asked the friend.

"Oh, yes," said the other. "I tried it on my husband, and it cured him."

GRANDMA WON'T BE TRADED BACK TO OLD HUSBAND

Mrs. Jackman Balks Plan of Wife-Swappers for a Readjustment.

MOSBY TOO FINE TO LOSE

"I Love Mosby and Mosby Loves Me, That's Enough," She Says.

OTHERS WOULD RE-TRADE

Young Mrs. Mosby in Particular Wants to Return to First Husband.

Fred L. Jackman, the laborer of 1218 N. Seventh street, who traded wives with Theodore M. Mosby, the Shelby County, Illinois, farmer, wants to trade back. Mosby is willing. Mrs. Mosby, his pretty wife, 20 years old, is willing. But Mrs. Jackman, 40 years old and a grandmother, is most decidedly not willing.

Mrs. Jackman blames her husband and Mrs. Mosby for first suggesting the interchange of helpmeets. But after it was consummated, she says, she learned to know what manner of man Mosby is, and now she can't love anybody else. If ever she does return to Jackman, she says, it will be in the capacity of a hired housekeeper, in order to afford means of support for the children.

Temporarily Mrs. Jackman is living with four of her nine children in Jackman's rooms at the North Seventh street address. The children she has with her are Delia, Freddie, May and Myrtle, ranging in age from 13 to 2½ years. To a Post-Dispatch reporter Thursday she explained her attitude toward the proposed marital readjustment.

"When Jackman and Mrs. Mosby decided they wanted to live together," she said, "they left Mosby and me orphans, as it were. What was more natural than that we should try to find consolation in one another?

"The plan was Jackman's suggestion, anyhow, that Mosby and I should father two children. In a little while what kind of man Mosby was. I never had anybody treat me better in my life. He protected me and cared for me just as if I was a baby.

Mrs. Jackman Quotes Bible.

"Now I love Mosby and I believe he loves me. Why should we give each other up just because Jackman and Mrs. Mosby are tired of the bargain? There ain't any question that Jackman wants me to come back. And I guess from what se says Mrs. Mosby wants to go back to her husband But there's four persons to be consulted in the business.

"If Mosby wants to take Mrs. Mosby back, and she wants to go, then I will not lay a straw between them. Everything in the Bible goes to show that anybody who tries to meddle with married folks will be punished. If Mosby wants her back he can have her. But I wouldn't come back to Jackman to stay even in order that I had a home to support the children. And even then it would only be as his hired housekeeper. I never will really be his wife again.

"Jackman was so anxious to see the children that I brought them down here to him. I have been for 10 days with my married daughter at 5915 Fyler avenue and Jackman didn't know I was in town. But I got word that he was longing for the children, and so I brought them to see him.

"Then he begged me to stay. I consented to stay a day or two and put this place in order for him. Been cleaning up all morning. But I don't expect to stay regular. Not me."

Press dispatches from Pana, Ill., where Mosby is in jail on a charge of bigamy, tell of an exciting chase by the authorities after Mrs. Mosby. She went to Tower Hill, seven miles from Pana and near the Mosby farm, expecting to stay there until Mosby was set free and then join him. A friend warned her she was in danger of arrest. At almost the same time Assistant State's Attorney Springstun learned that she was in Tower Hill and began arranging for her capture.

Mrs. Mosby's Narrow Escape.

Mrs. Mosby drove to Pana, intending to board a fast train east. She heard of Springstun's preparations and took an earlier slow train. Springstun telegraphed ahead to Shelbyville, but the message arrived too late for the officers there to arrest Mrs. Mosby. Then he wired to Charleston, but when police there boarded the train Mrs. Mosby was not on it. It is supposed she left the train at Mattoon and took another for Indiana, where her family lives.

E. F. O'Farrel, the attorney who drew up the remarkable contracts of separation and common-law marriage for the two couples, will be tried Saturday on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses, preferred by Mosby, who says O'Farrel told him the contracts were good. O'Farrel says Mosby misunderstood the word "void" to mean "good."

Mr. and Mrs. Jackman received a letter Wednesday night from R. C. Neff of Shelby County, who is in charge of the prosecution of Attorney O'Farrel, urging them to be present Saturday to testify against the lawyer. The letter promised immunity from arrest if they would be present. They expect to go.

FAMILY TREE IS FOUND.

Mrs. Thoms K. Niedringhaus, wife of the chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, Thursday had returned to her a suitcase lost Wednesday night on an Olive car. The suitcase contained documentary history of Mrs. Niedringhaus' family and ancestors, the Johnscons of Maryland avenue and the Burgesses of Virginia, which she prized highly.

S. L. Rogers, a clerk at Moeller's drug store, 3150 Laclede avenue, found the suitcase when he boarded an east-bound Olive car at Garrison avenue, and, after inquiring as to it sownership from several passengers, took possession of it. He opeend it on returning home, found a letter addressed to Mrs. Niedringhaus, and telephoned her.

WIFE DISGUISED AS A PEDDLER TRAPPED MAN

Mrs. Morrison Waited All Night in Store to Get Divorce Evidence.

NOT RECOGNIZED BY HIM

Says She Hopes Revelations in Suit Will Not Injure Him.

SHIELDS OTHER WOMAN

But She Does Not Believe Former Husband Will Marry Again.

Mrs. Jessie B. Morrison of Kirkwood, her hair gray from the grief of a husband's neglect, procured evidence which enabled her to get a divorce by disguising herself in widow's weeds and as vegetable seller and shadowing him and the "other woman" three weeks. Now that she has her divorce she does not speak harshly of him or of the woman who broke up their home.

Mrs. Morrison told a Post-Dispatch reporter Thursday that she hoped the divorce proceedings would not injure her husband, for his own sake, because he would still have to support their four children.

She was granted a divorce from Samuel Edward Morrison in the Circuit Court at Clayton Wednesday, and obtained the custody of her children also.

"My husband," said Mrs. Morrison, "first grew cold towards me a year and a half after our marriage. He didn't seem to care for me or the children at all. He gave me very little money and always grumbled about paying the bills, though he was making a good salary in a St. Louis jewelry house.

"He stayed out so late at nights that I thought he was gambling. He would not tell me why he stayed out. At last I went to the head of the firm and asked him what was the matter with Mr. Morrison.

Followed Them to House.

"He told me there was another woman, a stenographer in the store. I had suspected as much, and now I determined to see for myself. I first hired a detective, then I decided to be one myself, and one evening I dressed as a widow, and with the detective and my father, who always accompanied me, I followed them to a house on Olive street, near Seventeenth.

"Another time when I followed them to the same place I was dressed as an old country woman. I carried a basket, as if I was peddling vegetables.

"My husband and the stenographer went to the house about 8 p. m. that time. She came out about 7:30 the next morning and soon after he followed. He came across the street to a cigar store where I was standing.

"He left some washing and paid a bill, but he did not penetrate my disguise.

"That was nearly seven years ago. When I had satisfied myself of his conduct, I went to our home near Tower Grove Park, left a note for my husband, and with my children came to Kirkwood, where I have since lived with my parents.

"A year ago my husband treated me disrespectfully when I went to see him about the children, until then I would gladly have gone back to him. Since then I decided to obtain a divorce. I studied over it a long time, and if every woman pondered and prayed as I did over the thought of going to the divorce court, there would be fewer divorces.

Doesn't Expect Marriage.

"The other woman's name slipped out while I was testifying yesterday, but no one understood it and I said then that I would not repeat it. Maybe there were conditions which made her act as she did. Maybe she had a stepmother. Perhaps she may some day want to reform. I don't think my former husband will marry her, and that may make her realize her position.

"I am worried because the court did not grant alimony as I asked, but left that for the attorneys to settle. The Judge said he would fix the amount if the attorneys could not agree. Mr. Morrison has offered me $40 a month to clothe and feet four children, and to pay a debt of $ill for two years' house rent to my father and for other things for which he has not paid. I refused it.

He has given me only $200 in the last 16 months for our children.

"We were married in 1890. I lived with my parents then in St. Louis, and was teaching in the Franklin School. For a year and a half he was all any woman could expect, and then the change came.

Proud of Leaving Him.

"Since we separated—I am proud that I left him, because I would not live with a man who did as he did—I have asked him to come and see the children, to visit them at Christmas time, but he has refused.

"Our children are between the ages of 7 and 14. We had five children, but one died.

"Yesterday was the first time I was ever in court. I was frightened, yet it was very interesting. All the women acted very ladylike and the Judge gave them their divorces just as they wanted them."

Morrison was formerly manager of a large diamond and jewelry house, and Mrs. Morrison says she signed away her dower in $4500 worth of property that he might have money to start in business for himself. He is 42 years old. He did not appear at the trial, but his attorney was present.

VOTING WAS HEAVY.

Typographical Union Has Not Yet Completed Count.

After counting ballots from 7:30 Wednesday evening until noon Thursday members of Typographical Union No. 8 in charge of the annual election of officers of the organization announced that the count would probably be completed sometime Thursday afternoon. Nearly 1000 votes were polled and the length of the ticket makes the counting difficult. At noon it was stated that J. A. Jackson was somewhat ahead of J. J. Dirks, the opposing candidate for president.

Harry Sharpe, candidate for secretary and treasurer, was well ahead of Charles H. Ross. Of the 13 candidates for the four delegates to be sent to the International Convention at Colorado Springs John G. Knight and George W. Wilson were said to be leading.

FUNERAL OF MRS. CARLISLE THURSDAY.

MRS. MARY L. CARLISLE.

Mrs. Mary L. Carlisle, who died Tuesday at 5 p. m. in her eighty-seventh year will doubtless be remembered by many of the old-time St. Louisans. Her funeral will be Thursday afternoon from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. James B. Austin, 7039 Horner avenue.

She, with her husband, David Carlisle, left Philadelphia, and settled in St. Louis in 1838. Mr. Carlisle died during the cholera plague in 1850. He was formerly a member of the firm of Carlisle, Peck & Barnett, builders. They erected the first planing mill in St. Louis and built the old shot tower, just taken down, on the river front.

Mrs. Carlisle was a lifelong Methodist, being one of the original members of the Centenary M. E. Church when it was built in 1844. She is survived by a sister, Miss Harriet Court; Samuel S. Carlisle of Seattle, formerly Minister of Bolivia under Cleveland; James L. Carlisle, formerly Postmaster of St. Louis; David Carlisle, Frank C. Carlisle, Mrs. James B. Austin and Mrs. John W. Larimore.

The following grandsons will act as pallbearers: J. Carlisle Martin, Prof. George N. Martin, David Carlisle, Samuel S. Carlisle, James B. Austin, John L. Carlisle.

Her oldest daughter, Mrs. John G. Martin, died 1897.

GIRL INJURED BY BLAST AT QUARRY

Alton Manager Arrested After Firing of Shot Which Frightened Many.

Six houses were damaged, two women was hurt by a shower of rock thrown high into the air by a blast at a quarry Thursday morning in Alton. The president and manager of the quarry company has been arrested. He says that the charge of dynamite used was not excessive, but that it was planted in loose rock.

The accident occurred at the Reliance Quarry at Seventh and Alby streets, Alton. The quarry is about 75 feet deep, and numerous houses surround the top of the opening. A heavy charge of dynamite had been planted in a side of the qurry and it was discharged about 9 a. m.

Volcano Seemed to Rise.

Instantly a volcano was apparently formed. A shower of bowlders and chunks of rock was thrown high into the air, and in all directions for a distance of more than a hundred yards.

Mrs. Anna Yearger was ironing in her kitchen at 1715 Alby street. A huge fragment of stone went through the coal shed in the rear of the house, penetrated the wall and struck the end of the ironing board.

Mrs. Yeager fainted and was unconscious for an hour. Dr. Worden was called and he said that the woman was suffering from shock, and that her condition was serious.

Mrs. John Lawton, next door, was also frightened by a rock that crashed into her dining room.

Marie Smith, 6 years old, was playing in the street. A piece of rock struck her hip and inflicted a painful injury.

Edward A. Herman, president of the Reliant Quarry Co. and manager of the quarry, was arrested immediately after the blast.

MORMONS ARE TO RETIRE FROM BUSINESS LIFE

$25,000,000 Corporation to Take Church's Salt Lake City Vast Properties.

ROAD SOLD FOR $500,000

English and American Capitalists Are Financing the New Enterprise.

COMMERCIAL REVOLUTION

Change Will Profoundly Affect Political and Social Life of Utah.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, May 17.—The Mormon church is going out of business, according to a local morning paper. Its principal holding in Salt Lake, the Utah Light and Railway Co., is to be taken over by a $25,000,000 corporation composed of English and American capitalists. The new company will also acquire the Ogden street railway and build an electric line from Juab County, Utah, to Oneida County, Idaho.

It will be known as the Intermountain Consolidated Railroad Co., and will be incorporated both in Utah and Idaho. The board of directors will include H. H. Vreeland, New York City; Baron d'Oissel, Paris; Sir Thomas Jackson, London; William G. Rathbone, Manchester, England; Alexander McKenzie, Ottawa, Canada; Henry Dupont, Paris; Beresford Hope, London, and a number of Utah men, among them Gov. John C. Cutler. The enterprise will be financed through the Intermountain Trust Co., incorporated in Utah and Idaho a few days ago.

Simultaneously the announcement is made that the Salt Lake & Los Angeles Railroad, another church property, has been sold to a local syndicate for $500,000. This road is 13 miles in length and runs from the city to the lake.

President Joseph F. Smith of the Mormon church, is quoted as saying that the divorce of religion from business is made on account of the fact that the Mormons whom the church sought to protect years ago no longer need the protection of the church in business affairs. The church entered business to assist converts and strangers belonging to the church, but as they are now on a firm footing the church withdraws from business entirely.

If this policy is completely carried out the sale of the traction interests will be followed by the sale of stocks in banks, sugar factories, the great S. C. M. department store and many smaller enterprises. It will be nothing less than a commercial revolution which will profoundly affect the political and social life of the State.

STAGE OF THE RIVER.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

CAIRO, Ill., May 17.—Stage of the river, 24.37, a fall of .43 in the past 24 hours. Weather clear. Ferd Herold arrived at 12:45 yesterday afternoon from St. Louis and left at 4:15 for Memphis. Natchez arrived at 2:30 last night from New Orleans and left at 7 p. m. for Paducah for repairs. Chapwose, saving in for Summer Girls, arrived at 4 last night from Louisville and left at 10 for St. Louis. George Lee arrived at 8:45 this morning from Memphis and left at 10 for Cincinnati.

PADUCAH, Ky., May 17.—Gauge, 13.5, a fall of five-tenths of a foot. Clear. Arrived: Natchez from New Orleans, U. S. Golden Rod from Tennessee River. Departed: Dick Fowler for Cairo, John Hopkins for Evansville, Georgia Lee for Cincinnati, Golden Rod for Ohio River.

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., May 17.—River still falling. Gauge reads 18.6 feet. City of Saltillo, for the Tennessee, is due down. Clear and warm.

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The best hats for outings of all kinds—very durable—protect the entire face and neck. All sizes and various finishes.

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First in Everything

Where there is a will there is a way—even a waterway.

Truth crushed to earth will rise again, but it will get no lifts from the national capital.

Organs say there is politics in the Roosevelt-Tillman-Chandler-Bailey row. Thought it was bad manners.

THE BOND ISSUE CAMPAIGN.

Chairman Forman of the Citizens' Campaign Committee has made an excellent selection of men representing all elements of voters for the Executive Committee which will have charge of the bond isssue campaign.

The right sort of a campaign cannot be conducted without a fund for the legitimate expenses of meetings, postage and other needs. This should be supplied by the citizens interested in the progress of St. Louis. Certainly the men who do the work should have the liberal support and aid of citizens for whose benefit they are giving their time and energy.

The first big popular rally for the bond issue will be held at Forest Park Highlands Saturday afternoon and night..

Others will be held in different parts of the city. These rallies should be well attended. If public-spirited citizens put their shoulders to the wheel in this campaign June 12 will mark a big stride forward for St. Louis.

"Why shouldn't the policemen graft?" asks Police Commissioner Bingham of New York. No reason, if, as he says, the "Big fellows graft" and the Police Commissioners think grafting a good thing. But that is not a final settlement of the question.

SHAW ON "FIGUREHEADS."

In his conclusions on the Government service as it affects character, Secretary Shaw covers the whole ground. If he is right, then those who are fit for the class life of the army, the navy or the civil service are fit for little or nothing else. He does not expect them to die of overwork; he would "cheerfully go a thousand miles to see the grave of one of them who has died of overwork," but no matter how long they live, he thinks they will never develop individual character enough to be fit for life except as it belongs to "holding positions."

It would be easy to make out a long list of eminent Americans, educated for the army and navy, who are admired for character as well as for results in the making of history. If Secretary Shaw had been more accurate he would have been less sweeping, but he seems to have been anxious to drive home the idea that those who expect to live all their lives on public pay must accept it at the heavy expense of giving up freedom to live their own lives in the self-supporting independence which has done most to make greatness for American character.

There is so much truth in this that Secretary Shaw can well afford to make a better and more intelligible statement of it. If living on Government pay makes "figureheads" of those who do it all their lives he ought to tell why. If he means that the smaller the number of Americans who belong to official classes, military or civil, the better for themselves and the country, then he ought to say so in a way that will make his meaning unmistakable.

Ex-Senator Chandler has made public a statement of his conference with the President and of his negotiations with Senators Tillman and Bailey on the rate bill which bears the impress of truth, and as the President cannot lie there seems to be no occasion for further controversy.

GRACIOUS AND NECESSARY.

The beginning of the hot weather is a reminder that the gracious and necessary work of the Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund must be resumed with all possible activity. Owing to the generosity of Post-Dispatch readers and other charitable persons, a sufficient fund was raised last year to continue the distribution of pure milk through the winter season. But the fund is now exhausted, and the large demands of the summer months must be met.

Last year $8609.41 was raised for this charity. Twenty distributing stations, under the general management of the commission, were kept open. An average of 250 babies were fed with the pasteurized milk daily, representing 8698 gallons of milk, put up in 273,252 bottles. To keep this milk sweet and fresh in the distributing stations, wagons and homes, 228,000 pounds of ice was used—all paid for out of the fund.

This work was instrumental in saving the lives of a great many infants, according to the testimony of the medical experts connected with the Pure Milk Commission, who found that the use of the specially prepared milk absolutely prevented sickness in cases where babies were fed with it before becoming unhealthy, while the mortality among those who were fed with it after contracting the sickness peculiar to infants in hot weather was greatly reduced.

The Pure Milk and Free Ice Fund has become a permanent branch of the good work for the amelioration of suffering and death in St. Louis. This year the King's Daughters will co-operate with the Pure Milk Commission, the Provident Association and other charitable organizations in making it a success. It is hoped to maintain at least as many distributing stations as formerly, and to make such increases as may be found necessary. Last year practically all families who needed the help of this charity were supplied with the pure milk. There should be no falling off in the support so urgently needed.

The Post-Dispatch will receive and acknowledge all funds sent to it for this charity. Even a few cents may help to save life.

In "Fenwick's Career" Mrs. Humphrey Ward sends Phoebe Fenwick to "a fruit farm in the Hamilton District, Ontario," where she finds employment as a housekeeper. "It was an apple farm, running down to Lake Superior." As Lake Superior is a little matter of four or five hundred miles from the Hamilton District of Ontario, the farm must have been an extensive establishment. Little wonder that Phoebe "was so dead tired at night sometimes" that she would not undress, and "would sit down on the side of my bed to rest my feet."

CHAIRMAN EVANS AND THE PASS.

The protest of Chairman Evans of the Democratic committee against the decision of the railroads not to give passes to the delegates to State political conventions is an astounding utterance from the leader of a great party. Mr. Evans denounces the action of the railroad managers as unjust to the party and as "snap judgment," which will work to the disadvantage of the party by depriving the delegates of the means of transportation to the convention. He prophesies that not more than a third of the delegates will attend the conventions.

This is a practical admission that there has been an understanding, if not an alliance, between the railroad interests and the Democratic party of the State, by which the railroads were expected to take care of the party transportation. How else can the charge of injustice and snap judgment be explained? But railroads do not give something for nothing—what is the railroad compensation? The question is unnecessary, in view of the record of the old Democratic machine. But better things were expected of the new reform organization.

But this amazing interview is an admission on the part of the State chairman that the party cannot get along without railroad assistance. It cannot hold a successful convention unless the railroads supply the delegates with free transportation. The boys will not pay their way for patriotism.

What is perhaps more astonishing than these damaging admissions is the open advocacy of the policy of railroad pass subsidies for the State Democratic organization from the leader of the organization which represents the Folk element of the Democracy. The policy of passes for party delegates is a violation of the spirit, if not the letter, of the constitution. It is in direct opposition to the public policy of Gov. Folk, who has denounced the pass in politics as an abomination and has announced his determination to eliminate the railroad influences in the Legislature and in the party organization and conventions.

What shall we understand by this advocacy of the railroad pass on the part of the Governor's lieutenant? Does he believe that the Governor's public attitude towards the railroad influence is mere "guff" and demagogery, not to be taken seriously? If Democratic reform means that the railroad influence in politics is merely to be denounced, but not eliminated; if the party leaders intend to "keep the word of promise to the ear and break it to our hope," the people should know it. If, as Chairman Evans intimates, the party is dependent upon the railroads for its existence, for the privilege of assembling in convention to nominate candidates for public offices and to determine its policies with reference to State government, then the party has outlived its usefulness.

Miss Bird of Northampton, Mass., refuses longer to teach in a college that takes Rockefeller and Carnegie gifts. Miss Bird deserves a pair of shining wings.

THE SHOW AT THE COLISEUM.

Bishop Potter of New York is dissatisfied with Americans abroad. When he was in Rome a fellow countryman asked him: "What show is on at the circus?" The Bishop made out that the man was thinking of the Coliseum and thought there might be a "death-defying" performance on.

The Bishop is too exacting. He is also lacking in a sense of humor. And undeniably he is not up to date.

Perhaps this American was a St. Louis man. He had been accustomed to the dog shows, horse shows and baby shows at the Coliseum. He had attended the Democratic convention of 1904 and had watched the skaters roll round the polished floors.

Naturally when he heard the Romans had a Coliseum, he took it for granted there were good shows there. And if, in the back of his memory, there was something about bread and public shows and Christian martyrs and wild beasts, of course he was eager to see the modern Spartacus and the Numidian lions. With all his faults, the American, when he goes abroad, is still an American. He doesn't try to make people think he is a Briton or a Frenchman. And if he likes baby shows and horse shows at the Coliseum, he naturally wants to see if the Romans can show anything better at their Coliseum, which is in a condition almost as ruinous as ours here in St. Louis.

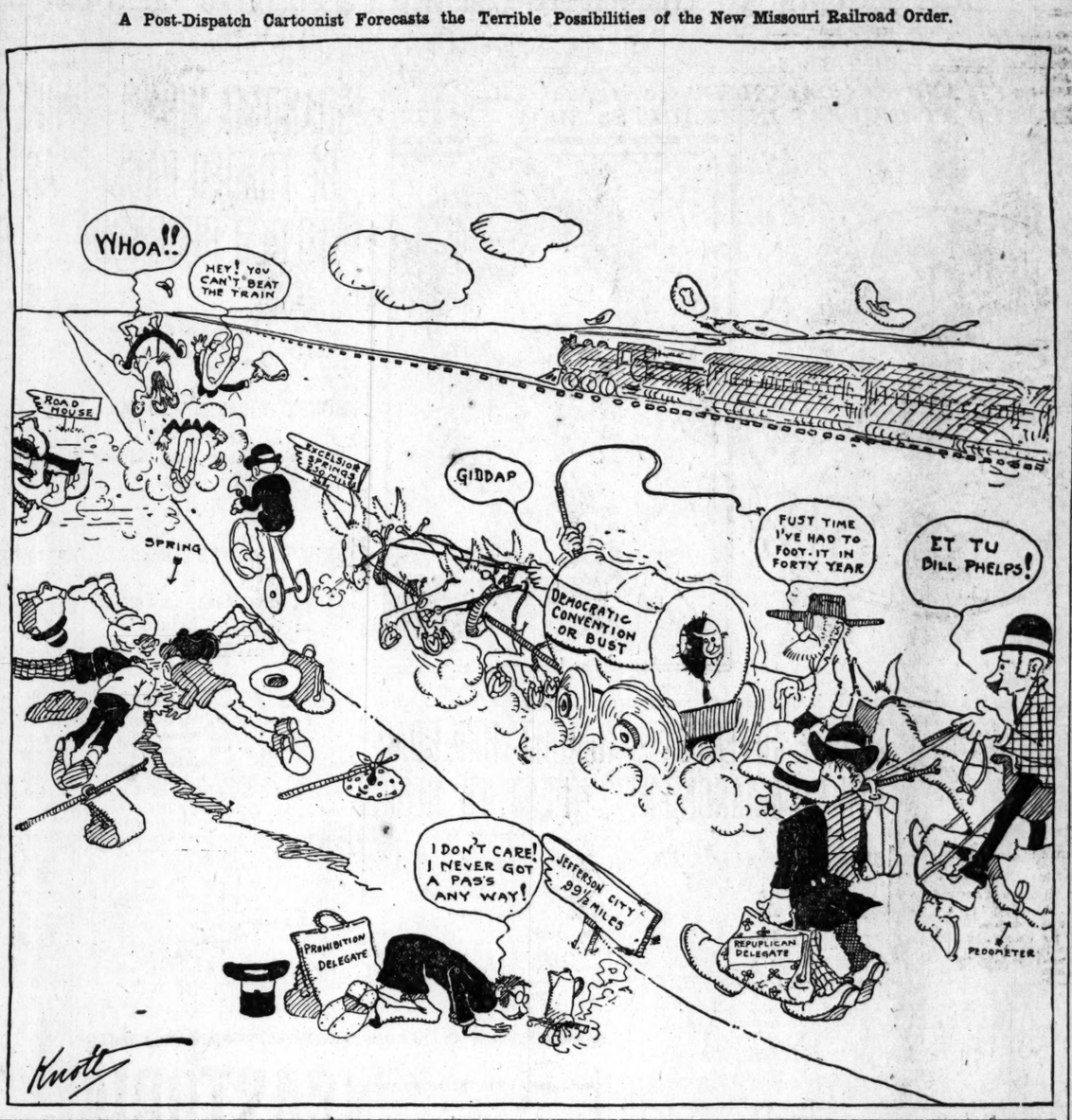
FIRE INSURANCE RATES.

From the New York World.

Instead of increasing rates to the business community of the United States, the equitable course for the fire insurance companies is to assess their stockholders and to compel the return of part of the large dividends which should never have been paid out except for conflagration losses.

NO PASSES

A Post-Dispatch Cartoonist Forecasts the Terrible Possibilities of the New Missouri Railroad Order.



JUST A MINUTE

With Post-Dispatch Poets and Humorists

WHEN IT'S HOT.

When it's hot
We are not
So deftly caught
By the seeming need
For speed,
And lack a lot,
When it's hot,
Of being Johnny-on-the-Spot.

When the Summer winds are blowing
We're inclined to easy going,
And we sort o' like to potter
When the days are growing hotter.

When it's hot
We are not
So up and coming,
And we like to loaf a lot
And go a-bumming,
When the breeze
In the trees
Sort o' make a fellow lazy,
And it's daisy
To be not
So eager when it's hot.

MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP.

Cleveland, O., May 15, 1906.

The new municipal laundry, the first in the United States, was opened here today with a great celebration. There was a pillow sham fight, and the whole audience sang "When the Sheets Are in the Breeze, Sweet Genevieve."

Chicago, Ill., May 15, 1907.

The municipal millinery shop, the first in the United States, was opened here today. A quartet from the City Hall sang "Down on Our Own Ostrich Farm, Kathleen," and the entire audience joined in singing "You Can Put Your Money on It, Here's Where Mother Gets a Bonnet."

St. Louis, Mo., May 15, 1908.

The municipal bridge across the Mississippi, the first in the United States, was opened here today. The Apollo Club sang "I Stood on the Bridge at Midnight, With Sweet Bridget by My Side," and there was a high-diving contest between the Mayor and the Excise Commissioner.

Kansas City, Mo., May 15, 1909.

The municipal ice plant, the first in the United States, was opened here today. Former Vice-President Fairbanks made the address of the day, and a mixed quartet sang "It'll Be a Cold Day, Honey, When I Bring Home All My Money," especially composed for the occasion by Alfred G. Robyn, the great Missouri composer.

ALL OVER.

Upon this pleasant day it seems
As if it might be worth
A word to say our baseball teams
Have both returned to earth.

Senator Tillman, who keeps cool in spite of the weather, his reputation and fortuitous circumstance, is the eighth wonder.

AT WASHINGTON.

"Liar! Liar! Double liar!"
Mercy, what a racket!
"You're another! You're another!
And you dassen't back it!"

HUSBANDS AT $15,000,000

Written for the Post-Dispatch
By Nixola Greeley-Smith.

NIXOLA GREELEY-SMITH

A YEAR ago a spinster, self-supporting and perilously near to 40, announced to me that she would never marry a man who was not rich enough to keep a steam yacht.

"She'll be lucky if she gets one with a wheelbarrow," commented an unfeeling man who heard the boast.

And sure enough, six months later, she snapped up a youth without even a wheelbarrow, and has been nobly working for him ever since.

Boasting of this sort in woman is more or less common. It is also funny. But it is neither so common nor so funny as a similar and more pronounced tendency in certain men.

We are constantly surprised by announcements from persons whose matrimonial possibilities had never thrust themselves upon our consciousness, that no woman with less than $15,000,000 may even aspire to their hands.

The next thing we hear of them, to be sure, is that they have eloped with the boarding-house waitress. But, meantime, there is a certain irritating impertinence in their superfluous declarations of the invulnerability of their hearts save to golden keys.

Can we possibly, we anxiously ask ourselves, have given these masculine timid sparrows occasion to blight the budding tenderness in our own breasts that they might not later be compelled more brutally to suppress them?

But the consciousness of our own serene indifference soon lays the disturbing ghost of this self-suspicion, and all that remains to be solved is, Why do they insist on talking to us about it?

Possibly, we conclude, it is because they expect us to spread the glad tidings abroad that sighing heiresses may realize the debonair Tom is quoted at $15,000,000, the languorous, lotus-eyed Dick at $10,000,000, while the less-sought Harry may be had for a small trifle of $5,000,000.

It may be just a far-sighted press agenting of their charms and aspirations.

The waning hopes of the woman fortune-hunter are pathetic. But can they compare in color with the gradual withering on the vine of the unsuccessful pursuer of heiresses?

Time renders the woman desperate, and she compromises with Fate that refuses her a millionaire by taking an $18 clerk and being thankful to get him.

Not so the prize man. He lingers on in prim, fastidious old bachelorhood, refusing to cut rates, and always hoping for the divine daughter of Dives, who is to have the glorious privilege of paying his bills.

He is like nothing save that Cumaen sibyl who offered nine leaves to Tarquin the Proud, and when he refused them burned three and submitted the remainder at the same price, meeting his second refusal with the conflagration of three more, which convinced him of their preciousness and made him buy.

This prize man is rare, but he is infinitely amusing.

WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH KANSAS?

From the Kansas City Star.

In Topeka even the Salvation Army has adopted a sacred version of "Everybody Works but Father."

"How did you and your wife first meet?" an Atchison man asked of another. "We didn't meet," replied the meek little man, "she overtook me."

William Allen White thinks if the congregation labors with Brother Bent Murdock he may come through and testify. He thinks the Eldorado editor is on praying and interceding terms.

A man in Nemaha County was telling his friend about an acquaintance who has reached an entirely independent state. "He owns his own place, chaws his own terbacker and spits where he pleases," said the man proudly.

"Just as soon as a newspaper man's business begins to pick up a bit," says the Concordia Kansan, "and it looks as though he was going to get enough money ahead to buy a new suit of clothes, the Paper Trust and Type Trust hike the price of the goods he must buy and take it away from him."

"When a lot of Methodists get together they are as certain to tell yarns as a lot of horse traders," says the Atchison Globe. "But their yarns concern church matters. An old preacher tells about holding services one night when there was no choir. He asked a deacon to lead in song. The deacon started 'My Soul Be on Thy Guard, Ten Thousand Foes Arise,' but he pitched the tune too high, and only got as far as 'Ten Thousand'—— when his voice gave out. A broker who had strayed into the church forgot himself, and thinking that he was on the Board of Trade, shouted: 'Too high! Start 'er at five thousand.'"

Ralph Tennal tells of a man in Sabatha who carries his own life insurance. "He has $2000 on certificate of deposit in a Sabetha bank," says the Sabetha Herald. "Instead of paying out money for life insurance his life insurance pays him $60 a year. He has carried this insurance 20 years, and it has paid him $1800 in interest and he still has his $2000."

STORIES TOLD IN WASHINGTON

To a Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Senator Tillman enriched the language Wednesday. In speaking of the men who echo the opinions of the President he said, "these claquecoos."

"What are they squabbling about in there?" asked a retired statesman of a friend who had walked out of the Senate chamber.

"Oh, they are quarreling over the amendment to the rate bill that prohibits the giving of railroad passes."

"The giving of railroad passes? A work of supererogation, sir and nothing more. Of my personal knowledge, nobody in these parts has had a railroad pass since Jan. 1 last."

J. Adam Bede made a speech at the banquet of the Piano Makers and Dealers, who have been in convention here. In speaking of presidential candidates he referred to Secretary Taft as "the upholstered candidate."

Twice, when the Senate had heard severe denunciations of the President in connection with the Chandler-Liar-Tillman-Bailey-Roosevelt imbroglio and was waiting for the next word, Senator Nelson of Minnesota has hopped up and diverted the thoughts of the Senate to other channels by moving that the pending amendment should be laid on the table.

"At last, said a man in the gallery, "we have discovered why Nelson is in the Senate. He is there to act as the human wet blanket."

A man came up the street last night from the piano men's banquet with his arms full of souvenirs, his pockets full of cigars and himself full of champagne.

"Had a lovely time," he said, "a perfectly lovely time. Sat near Vice-President Fairbanks and kept cool and comfortable all night."

After a conservative poll of the Senate, conducted with the minutest care, it has been deducted that the Roosevelt following in that body now consists of those redoubtable statesmen, Senator Allee of Delaware, the only jeweler there, and Senator Ankeny of Washington, who distinguished himself by discovering, from something he heard drop in the committee room, that Senator Morgan of Alabama is against a Panama canal.

"Yes," said a close observer of the Senate, "I am impressed with Demosthenes Dolliver of Iowa as a leader. He is a statesman who spends his entire time proving that the views he holds are not correct."

Didn't Knock on Wood.

From the San Jose (Cal.) Mercury of April 17.

Vesuvius is calming down. Dispatches from Italy state that the people living near the fiery landmark are returning to their homes. Sunny Italy may be a pleasant place to live in. Everyone to his liking, but the neighborhood of eruptionless Mount Hamilton is good enough for most of us, thank you.

ON THE SUBURBAN TRAIN

The Conductor Provides Boxing Gloves and Face Protectors, and Discussion of the Rate Bill is Resumed.

Written for the Post-Dispatch
BY CLARK McADAMS.

"WHO'S what in Washington this morning?" asked the Boss Printer, sliding in at the card table.

"'All men are liars,'" said the Insurance Man, in a scriptual tone.

The Brakeman came in with the Base Burners, and the Conductor brought in boxing gloves and face masks for persons desiring to discuss the rate bill.

"No man can discuss this issue and keep his temper," the Conductor explained, "and our General Passenger Agent doesn't purpose having his passengers beat each other up like a lot of statesmen."

"Chandler says somebody is lying, but that, inasmuch as he is telling the truth, it wouldn't be respectful for him to say who it is," said the Insurance Man.

"Chandler is subtle," said the Boss Printer. "He reminds me of the man who was annoyed by cheating in an Arizona poker game. There was a one-eyed man sitting in the game. Pushing his chair back and knocking his six-shooter on the table, the annoyed Arizonian said: 'I don't want to cast no ondue reflections, but if somebody don't quit his 'cheatin' I'll shoot his other eye out.'"

The Brakeman brought out a lot of lead knucks, and tried to rent them for the down trip, but the passengers frowned upon the idea, and the knucks were thrown through the side door.

"At that," said the Wholesale Druggist, "I don't suppose they are any deadlier than your cigars."

The train listed sharply upon a curve and a kodak fell to the floor in the rear coach. To the amusement of nearby passengers, coffee ran from it, and the girl who owned it snatched it up in some embarassment.

"I wondered what she was doing with that kodak every day," said the girl with the Leslie Carter hair. "I've seen lunch boxes pretty ingeniously disguised, but that's a new one."

Something was going on in the smoker, and people in the second coach crowded out on the platform to peer in.

"They're at it on the rate bill again," said the Insurance Man, crowding out and making his way back toward the ladies' coach.

The Conductor hurried forward, but the storm had blown over when he reached the smoker.

"Nothing the matter, except that my mask is a little too small," said the Boss Printer, blowing a bit and smiling grimly.

"Make him apologize," said the Wholesale Druggist. "He called me a disseminated liar!"

"I only called him a rate bill liar," said the Boss Printer. "That isn't a really truly liar. He's all right on any other subject. I'm his friend, and just to prove it I'll play a five-spot on his ace." Which he did.

The train crept under the smoke blanket, and a moment later the Brakeman picked up his footstool and cried:

"St. Louis!"

ANSWERS to Post-Dispatch READERS

RULES—One question; one initial. No business addresses given. No bets. Only simple legal questions. Address "Answers," Post-Dispatch; postal cards if convenient.

POOR WOMAN.—Consult a lawyer.

A.—Send announcements after wedding.

M. L.—We don't advise as to investments.

O. M. H.—Book agent contract must be kept.

M. H. W.—Ask book stores or Public Library.

BERDIE.—No law against Jew and Gentile marriage.

MRS. EAGERLY.—Pawnbroker holds pledges three months.

BARBER.—Bixby, Ill., has 600 or more people and a barber shop.

W. F.—In warm weather a straw hat is correct for river excursion.

K. V. K.—Costs in garnishee case, if you lose it, may be about $7.50.

BILL.—International Association of Machinists belong to Building Trades Council.

SAM.—"May I have the pleasure of escorting you to the table?" "May I see you home?"

SUB.—For full information as to patents, write Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D. C.

D. T. G.—A married man is liable to criminal prosecution if he sustains unwarranted relations with another woman.

J. H. M.—Permanganate of potash is not poisonous and is not likely to do harm when prescribed by a capable physician.

GRIZZARD.—For end of world and day of judgment references see "Escanatology" in Encyclopedia Biblica, Public Library.

ANXIOUS.—"Yes, Mrs. Jones," "Yes, mother," father, etc., are now used instead of the old forms of "Yes, ma'am" and "Yes, sir."

FANNIE.—Write to the Attorney-General of Indiana at Indianapolis. We have not the Indiana laws in regard to broken engagements.

A. B.—If the owner of the dog was given to understand that you were boarding it free of charge, we do not see how you could now hold it for its board.

S. Y.—If tenant gives landlord a month's notice, then changes his mind and pays rent for another month, it would be equivalent to re-renting—the landlord accepting the payment.

? S ?.—To remove white spots from nails, make a paste of equal parts of turpentine and myrrh. Spread on at night, binding on a cloth to prevent soiling clothes. Remove in morning by applying olive oil.

ANSWER.—If a man die without making a will and leave a wife and children, a third of his real estate goes to the widow. As to her share in personal property, see sections 105-6-7, Revised Statutes, 1899, Public Library.

ANXIOUS.—For roaches, try sticky fly paper and sponge woodwork with oil of sassafras; or stir tartar emetic in saucer of molasses and lard and leave over night, taking care no children can reach it; or bait roach trap with beer and set it in the basement at night; see that there is no water in the basement; or try red wafers.

L.—Hair parasites: Buy 10 or 15 cents' worth fishberries (whole) at druggist's. Break into small bits with a hammer; add pint or more pure alcohol. Let stand 24 hours before using. Then thoroughly wet scalp and head before retiring, tying the head up in a towel. Repeat two or three times. Fishberries are poisonous.

C. & P.—In vegetable beds each withered patch marking the hiding place of cutworms should be dug over and the upturned worms killed; holes made with a hoe or rake handle furnish favorite hiding places by day and serve as traps to catch many. As a preventive, treat land early in spring with a mixture of lime and wood ashes. After plants have come up place along the rows at distance of 10 or 20 feet apart, small bunches of fresh-cut grass or other green plant which have been previously sprinkled with diluted Paris green or London purple. At night flies may be sprinkled with a dilute emulsion of kerosene.

FOR THE BOYS AND GIRLS

Games for the Home.

A good game from the kindergarten leads to accuracy and discrimination in the use of the senses. Several objects are grouped on a table; a child is blindfolded; one object is removed; the child tells which is gone.

When a number of children are playing together one of them may be sent from the room and the blindfolded child guesses which playmate has gone. For hearing, "magic music" is excellent, the child listening for the increased volume of music to tell him when he is approaching the hidden object. Or a blindfolded child may guess which of his playmates is singing or speaking to him. Or, having listened to a series of different sounds, for example, the ringing of a bell, the tapping of a stick, the striking of a note on the piano, the clapping of hands, he removes the bandage from his eyes, and himself repeats the sounds in the order in which they occurred.

Some Small Misses.

What Miss causes in turn amusement and quarrels? (Mischief.)

What Miss is not always honest? (Misappropriate.)

What Miss is provoking and a blunderer? (Mistake.)

What Miss can destroy the peace of home, school and nation? (Misrule.)

What Miss wastes time and money? (Mis-spend.)

What Miss causes her mother sorrow? (Misconduct.)

What Miss proves an uncertain correspondent? (Mis-direct.)

What Miss should the traveler shun? (Mis-guide.)

What Miss is unhappy? (Misfortune.)

What Miss is uncivil and ill-bred? (Mis-behave.)

What Miss is untruthful? (Mis-represent.)

An Appreciation of Carl Schurz.

From the New York World.

The romantic interest of Mr. Schurz's career may center upon his German escapes and adventures and his brief appearances, now long past, in the field of battle. His moral value to America lies in his worthy part as a citizen in public affairs. He was never a great partisan leader, because he was not born a partisan. But he was a great orator. Though he spoke in an acquired language we have not had a greater in recent years. Even as a writer few have surpassed him in vivid and virile English, though in recalling his own youth for his autobiography he returned in dictating to his mother tongue. These gifts of argument and of statement he largely owed to simplicity, to sincerity, to idealism. What he was he was, without claptrap or humbug. Even in his lighter moments he set in his love of music, of literature and the arts a gentle example in a raw and hurried land whose ideas of success are too much of the Gradgrind order.

The World on Sunday, in alluding to the public interest in Mr. Schurz and the general sorrow in his illness, pointed out how far his life of devotion to ideals outshone the trumpery success of a regiment of over-prosperous money-grubbers.

A Perching Bird.

Many persons wonder why it is that a bird or a chicken does not fall from its perch while asleep. The reason is that the tendon that runs along the leg and into the claws contracts when the bird assumes a sitting position, and thus keeps the claws in close contact with the perch. When in that position the bird has no control over its claws, and could not relax its grasp if it tried to do so, for the bent leg keeps the tendon contracted.

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SOCIALISM IN AMERICA

What It Means.

Who's Afraid?

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I will be surprised if you print this article for it contains the solution of the question at issue, and it is my candid opinion that the big newspapers are not seriously looking for the solution. However, I hope that I may be mistaken, at least in so far as the Post-Dispatch is concerned.

According to your last Sunday's editorial, "the whole problem" is that every individual may have free and full opportunity and may be protected in the fruits of his labor."

The only solution of the problem above stated is the conformation of our money system to the principle of equal rights—the basic principle of our government—in the only way in which it can be conformed thereto, namely, by making labor the standard of value.

In order to establish the labor standard of value, and thus guarantee to all citizens who desire it, an opportunity to labor and enjoy the full fruits of their labor, it will not be necessary to abolish private property nor prohibit either individual or corporate industry; it will only be necessary for the government to acquire, by purchase, suitable and sufficient lands and facilities for the purpose and establish a complete syetem of production and distribution of such proportions as will accommodate every citizen willing to serve, each in that capacity for which he or she may be best fitted, as many hours a day as may be necessary to produce, in the aggregate, an abundance of the various forms of wealth and perform the numerous services required by the citizens thus serving and those depending upon them, and pay every citizen in the service $1 for each hour's service, said dollar to be redeemed by the government in food, clothing and shelter, or in any form of wealth or service at the government's disposal.

This is not Socialism, for it does not promote the abolition of private property nor the prohibition of individual industry. Nor is it confiscation, for it proposes that the lands and facilities acquired shall be paid for. It is not despotism, for it does not propose to compel anyone to serve who is not willing to do so.

It is simply a proposition to really do what should have been done long ago — a proposition to conform our national account-keeping system to the fundamental principle of our government, in the only way in which it can be done that is, by making labor, the only thing which every citizen has to offer, the standard of value.

W. C. BOHANNON.

Home and Foreign Prices.

From the New York World.

John Sharp Williams has figured out the percentage of difference between the home and foreign prices on a number of familiar articles. The resultant tables are of interest.

The poor washerwoman, for instance, pays far more for her American washboard than the same article sells for abroad. The home wholesale price of the cheapest grade cited was in 1904, $2.40 a dozen, the export price only $1.50 a dozen. Black fencing wire sold at $2 and $1.25 for the same article at home and abroad respectively. Sashcord of a quoted make was priced at 28 and 20 cents a pound respectively. Coffee and spice mills, the kind that are screwed to the kitchen wall, are respectively 88 and 67 cents.

Muck-rake handles, in another list, show a difference of only 10 per cent between home and foreign discounts from list price. This is fortunate, as these articles seem to be in active home demand just now. Brass birdcages, not being strictly necessities of life, show only 8 per cent of difference. But the long saw that facetious lumbermen call a "briar" bears 53 per cent more discount in Norway than in Maine,

THE WOMAN'S CORNER

Twenty-Three for the Kiss.

There are four reasons why women no longer kiss each other, says the London Express.

1. It has been proved difficult for two persons wearing Gainsborough hats or their modifications to kiss.

2. The long flowing veils of the moment become a tangled mass of chiffon or net and the large velvet spots with too rough treatment easily become detached.

3. Complexion, unless exceedingly well made, is apt to smear, and the powder easily rubs off, presenting a daubed effect.

4. The elaborate blouse and neck ruffles, with the multitudinous chains, etc., of modern dress decorations, are easily crushed and quickly lose their pristine beauty.

It is, therefore, considered bad taste to kiss in public, and so, since there must be some way of welcoming a friend, the manly handshake has come in.

About Women.

Miss Mary Offutt, the official notary and stenographer of the Governor of Alabama, administered the oath of office the other day to the new chief justice, Samuel D. Weakley. She is probably the first woman who ever swore in a chief justice.

A young woman who is shortly to be married received from her fiance an Easter egg of pure gold. By pressing a spring the egg was divided into halves and revealed a pendant of five diamonds resting on a velvet lining.

Mrs. Sidney Smith devotes all her bridge winnings to buying veils and gloves. This is said to be no small sum, as she wears more veils than any other woman in society except Mrs. Lorillard Spencer.

It is said that Boston women may be persuaded to wear anything, provided they can first be made to believe it is sensible.

Mrs. Mills and her daughters make it a rule to stick to one shape of hats, once they are sure it is becoming, no matter what changes may occur in styles.

Graduation Gifts.

A linen parasol with the initials embroidered in white thread.

A bottle of imported cologne with a spray of the flowers from which the perfume is made floating in the liquid.

A watch charm made of the class, fraternity or school insignia.

A pair of long gloves.

A fancy comb for the hair or a pair of jeweled hatpins.

A ring with the stones representing the colors of the school or college, hence green and white—an emerald and a diamond.

A set of gold blouse pins with the monogram cut.

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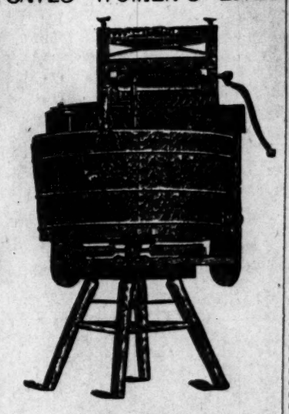

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THE ERUPTION OF SOCIALISM IN THE WEST

All The Facts in the Next Sunday Post-Dispatch

STRICKEN AT MEETING.

George Meinz, Labor Union Leader, Dies.

The funeral of George Meinz will be held Sunday at 2 p. m. from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. J. A. O'Neil of 1130A Rutger street, to St. Vincent de Paul's Church. Services will be conducted there by Rev. Father J. J. Murray. Interment will be in Calvary Cemetery. Meinz died Wednesday at St. Mary's Infirmary after an illness of four months from Bright's disease. He was born in London in 1852, and came to America when he was a boy. He had been for several years a prominent member of the Central Trades and Labor Union, being one of its officers at the time of his death. He was for two years president of the Pressmen's Union.

Mr. Meinz was always prominent in labor parades, and was grand marshal of one. He was stricken with his fatal illness while attending a union meeting. He is survived by five sons and four daughters.

Dr. Ilgen to Read Poems.

Rev. Dr. Pedro Ilgen will read selections from his own poems, recently published, at an entertainment in his honor at the Holy Ghost Church, Grand and Page avenues, Thursday night. He will leave in a few days to visit his old home in Germany.

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The Poston twins, whose combined weight is only 5½ pounds, are getting along very nicely, thank you.

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KAISER CABLES SCHURZ SYMPATHY

Prominent Americans Are Pallbearers at Funeral of Publicist Statesman Today.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 17.—"Please convey to the family of Carl Schurz my sincere sympathy on the passing away of this eminent man who rendered his new home valuable services in war and peace and at the same time never denied the German blood in his veins."

This message from Kaiser Wilhelm was forwarded by Baron Von Sternberg, the German Ambassador at Washington, to Carl Lincoln Schurz, the son of Carl Schurz, who died Monday.

The funeral of Schurz will take place today. Dr. Felix Adler will conduct services at the home. Interment will be in the cemetery at Sleepy Hollow. Simple services at the grave are to be conducted by the Rev. H. B. Frisel, president of Hampton Institute, Virginia.

Memorial services may be held in Carnegie Hall next week. Carl L. Schurz said that such service had been suggested by several of the German societies and a committee from them may meet on Saturday night.

Many floral tributes received at the Schurz home yesterday included several sent by German societies and a large piece of palm leaves and lilies from Prince Henry of Prussia.

Those who have been invited to act as pallbearers are Charles Francis Adams of Boston; Joseph H. Choate, Dr. A. Jacobi, Horace White of the evening Post; Karl Buenz, German Consul General; John B. Henderson, formerly of Missouri, who succeeded Schurz in the Senate; Col. Silas W. Burt of the Civil Service Reform League; Gustave Lindenthal, president of the Arion Society; Richard Watson Gilder, Oscar S. Strauss, Edward M. Shepard, Max Wesendonck, Simon Wolf, Andrew Carnegie, Dr. Hans Kudlich, Major-General Julius Stahel, Edward L. Pretorius of the St. Louis Westliche-Post, in which Schurz was interested; Isaac N. Seligman, Udo Brachvogel and Horace E. Deming.

Another Cure by X-Zalia.

J. A. Sinclair, 4527 Clayton avenue, St. Louis, reports that by the timely use of that healing liquid, X-Zalia, he cured a bad case of blood poison on his hand. Nurses are demonstrating the use of this liquid free to everyone at Judge & Dolph's, 515 Olive street.

STATE WILL TRY CALEB POWERS

Federal Court Shirks Jurisdiction and Fourth Trial Will Begin Soon.

CINCINNATI, May 17.—Caleb Powers, now in the Newport, Ky., Jail, was yesterday ordered back to the custody of the Kentucky State courts, following the mandate of the United States Supreme Court. Powers will next be arraigned for his fourth trial for complicity in the murder of William Goebel.

Powers sought to have the case transferred to the Federal Court on the ground that he could not have a fair and impartial trial in the state courts. Attorney General Hays for the State, resisted the proceedings, and the question came up on the jurisdiction of the Federal Court after Judge Cochran had removed the case to his court and before the trial was begun. The Supreme Court sustained the contention of Gen. Hays, holding that there was no Federal question presented, and remanded the case.

Powers has been confined in jail since his arrest in March, 1900, and it is believed the testimony in his case in the three previous trials has made the most voluminous record in any case in the State's history. Powers has sought a second change of venue since his first change from Franklin to Scott, where the three trials have taken place, and will probably renew his motion on the calling of the case at a time to be fixed, probably in July.

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Interstate Commerce Commission Ruling Contested.

The validity of a decision of the Interstate Commerce Commission will be decided on by the United States Circuit Court in East St. Louis, June 18, when arguments will be made in the case of the Southern Railroad against the St. Louis Hay and Grain Co.

The commission ruled that the additional charge of 2 cents per 100 pounds to a through rate, when hay is brought through East St. Louis destined for points Southeast, was too high, and reduced the additional charge to 1 cent per 100 pounds. The Southern Railroad was ordered to refund $1572.08. This the road refused to do, and suit was instituted.

QUARRELED OVER GRAVE.

Mother Pays Fine for Disturbing Mourning Girl.

Mrs. Pauline Lohrum, who was fined for disturbing the peace of her dead son's former fiancee, Miss Mollie Vogel, has effected a compromise, and the appeal from the finding of Justice Campbell, which was taken to the Clayton Circuit Court, has been dismissed upon payment of a fine of $1.

Mrs. Lohrum's son was buried in a cemetery on Gravois road, in St. Louis County, December 10, 1905. Mrs. Lohrum and Miss Vogel met at the grave and a violent altercation followed. Mrs. Lohrum was taken to the Wyoming Street Police Court, but it was found that the Court had no jurisdiction, as the occurrence was in the county. Justice Campbell fined Mrs. Lohrum $25.

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ARCHDEACON IS WANTED.

Rev. E. Duckworth May Supervise Missions.

The most important question before the Episcopal Diocese of Missouri, at its final session at Schuyler Memorial House Thursday, was the appointment of an archdeacon, to have charge of missionary work. The creation of this office seems assured after the subscribing of funds for the missionary departments of the Diocese at Wednesday's meeting. In past years it has been impossible to raise sufficient money to support an archdeacon.

It is understood that the place will be offerer to Rev. E. Duckworth, now rector of St. James Church, whose plain statement of the needs of the Diocese along missionary lines was largely responsible for the liberal subscriptions made. He has expressed a preference for continuing in regular parochial duties. Rev. L. F. Potter of Kirkwood is also mentioned for the office.

The motion to change the name of the Diocese from "Missouri" to "St. Louis" was introduced Wednesday and tabled.

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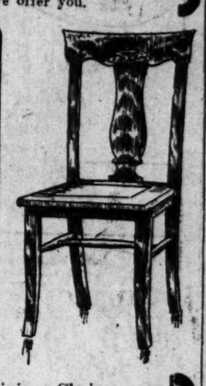

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"My little boy had eczema. His head was one solid sore, all over his scalp; his hair all came out, and he suffered very much. I had a physician treat him, but at the end of three months he was no better. I remembered that the Cuticura Remedies had cured me, and after giving him two bottles of Cuticura Resolvent, according to directions, and using Cuticura Soap and Ointment on him daily, his eczema left him, his hair grew again, and neither he nor myself have had any eczema since.

As to his own case, Mr. Barnett says: "I suffered with eczema, a burning, itching, breaking out on my face for more than a year. I took treatment from physicians for several months, which did no good. I was then advised to try Cuticura. I took six bottles of Cuticura Resolvent, and used Cuticura Soap and Ointment freely every day. I began to improve soon after starting to use them, and when I had taken the six bottles of the Resolvent my face had become clear, I had good color, and all eruptions had left me.

"We use the Cuticura Soap and Ointment in our family now for general use, and it keeps our skin soft and healthy. I cheerfully recommend the Cuticura Remedies for all cases of eczema. (signed) A. C. Barnett, Avard, Oklahoma, Mar. 30, 1905."

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EXTRACTED without pain by our new painless method; no dangerous drugs or gas given. 25 cents.

NO SORE GUMS. NO PAIN.

Until May 18th we have decided to make our new whalebone plates with best teeth for $3.00—do not cover roof of mouth. Guaranteed to bite corn off the cob. 20 Years' Guarantee.

BRIDGEWORK, guaranteed	$2
BEST SET OF TEETH	$3
22K GOLD CROWNS	$3
GOLD FILLINGS	$1 UP
SILVER FILLINGS	25c

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St. Louis Office, 513 Olive St. Over Aloe's. Open daily. Sundays, 9 to 4.

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PROPOSALS FOR CITY PRINTING

Office of City Register.
City Hall, St. Louis, May 14, 1906.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Charter and ordinances of the City of St. Louis, sealed bids will be received at this office, Room 203, City Hall, until 12 o'clock noon, and opened

FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1906,

From the publishers of newspapers in the City of St. Louis having an uniform daily circulation of over three thousand (3,000) copies, for the City Printing for one year, one published in the English language and one published in the German language.

Said bids must propose to do the printing and advertising required by law and ordinances to be done in the newspapers, including Mullanphy Relief Fund and Collector's office, at an uniform price per line.

The printing must conform to the following, viz.:

Size, character and name of type, nonpariel; minimum length of line twenty-six (26) ems; minimum width of column, thirteen (13) ems pica; character of the measurements to be employed, nonpariel.

The papers published in the English language bidding shall also state in the bid at what cost per page they will print two hundred (200) copies of the proceedings of the Municipal Assembly as may be published in such paper, in pamphlet form (no blank pages to be counted) and deliver same within two days after each meeting of each House of the Municipal Assembly. Also at what price, per page, they will print and deliver one hundred (100) copies of the proceedings of the Board of Public Improvements, as may be published in the newspaper, in pamphlet form (no blank pages to be counted); also what price, per page, they will print and deliver fifteen hundred (1,500) copies of the ordinances as may be published in the newspapers of an uniform size, suitable for binding in the customary form (no blank pages to be counted). The foregoing pamphlet work to conform in all respects to samples on file, and to be seen by bidders in this office.

Bidders will be required to deposit with the City Treasurer the sum of five hundred dollars ($500.00), and attach the Treasurer's receipt to each bid; also, an affidavit that the daily circulation of the paper is three (3,000) thousand or more.

No bid will be considered in which there shall be an erasure or interlineation.

All bids must be indorsed "Proposals for City Printing."

Bids will be opened at the office of the City Register.

The City Register reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

A bond of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

The English paper receiving the contract will be required to furnish one hundred and fifty (150) copies of the daily paper and twenty slips of each advertisement made by the Register free of charge to said Register, also twenty-four (24) slips of each advertisement made by the Commissioner of Supplies free of charge to said Commissioner.

The German paper receiving the contract will be required to furnish sixty (60) copies of the daily paper free of charge to the Register.

PATRICK J. REGAN, Register.

(May14to24)

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ITS FLAG OF FAIR DEALING IS PERFECTION IN QUALITY PURITY AND FLAVOR

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AS the most important makers of ready for service clothes with a complete tailoring organization housed in New York, Alfred Benjamin & Co. have the right to insist that their clothes alone reflect the New York fashions the season they are created.

You can wear New York clothes designed and made a block from Broadway, a minute's walk from Fifth Avenue if you patronize the local agent of Alfred Benjamin & Co.

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Correct Clothes for Men

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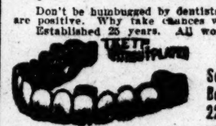
F. A. Steer F. G. Co.

213-215 N. Broadway.

Reliable Dentistry Examination and Advice Free

Don't be humbugged by dentists who claim to do painless work; our patented methods are positive. Why take chances with others? Established 25 years. All work guaranteed for 15 years.



Special Prices Until May 25:

Set of Teeth	$2.00	Bridge	$2.00
Best Set "Special"	$4.00	Extracting, painless,	25c
22k Gold Crown	$2.00	Gold Fillings	75c

Teeth extracted absolutely without pain. Acknowledged to be the easiest and best painless extractor in St. Louis.

Protective guarantee of 15 years. None but skilled dentists employed, graduate and registered under laws of Missouri.

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OUR SUCCESS IS FREE CLINICS DUE TO THE HIGH-GRADE WORK DONE BY THE PROFESSORS OF THIS COLLEGE.

Prices until May 30. No students. All work guaranteed for 15 years. All work for cost of material. Established 25 Years.

BEST SET OF TEETH	$2.50
GOLD CROWNS	$3.00
BRIDGE WORK	$1.00
FULL SET OF TEETH	$3.00
GOLD FILLING	50c

If your plate does not fit, have our Patent Corrugated Solution inserted free. Have impression taken in the morning, get teeth same day.

RELIABLE WORK By accurate dentists, who are experts in our system of painless dentistry. Don't throw your money away on the so-called best dentists when you can have it done by us for the cost of material. Positively no students.

UNION DENTAL COLLEGE 823 OLIVE ST., 2d Floor, S. E. Cor. 7th and Olive. Open till 9; Sundays 9-4.

Pack Everything in Manahan's-All Stores Sell TARINE MOTH BAGS

Tarine Moth Sheets, Rug Wrappers

LAX-ETS For The BOWELS

Only 5 cents per box—Lax-ets, a new sweet toothsome laxative for constipation, sour stomach, bad breath, bad taste, biliousness, etc. Unless you try Lax-ets, you will never know its value—and only 5 cents at druggists or by mail for 5 2-cent stamps. Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis.

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FOR MORE THAN TWENTY YEARS

We have made the cure of blood poison a specialty. Primary, Secondary or Tertiary Blood Poison permanently cured. You can be treated at home under same guaranty. Capital $500,000. We solicit the most obstinate cases. If you have exhausted the old methods of treatment, and still have aches and pains, Mucous Patches in Mouth, Sore Throat, Pimples, Copper-Colored Spots, Ulcers on any part of the body, Hair or Eyebrows falling out, write for proofs of cures. 100-page Book free.

COOK REMEDY CO.
1537 Masonic Temple, Chicago, U.S.A.

MEN Married or single, who want to enjoy life, should take a box of NERVE BEANS. They cure nervousness and all wasting weaknesses, restore strength and full vigor. $1 at Wolff Wilson Drug Co., 6th and Washington ave.

PILES FISTULA—28 YEARS ESTABLISHED—DISEASES OF WOMEN. We send FREE and postpaid a 352-page treatise on PILES, FISTULA and DISEASES OF THE RECTUM; also 132-page illustrated treatise on DISEASES OF WOMEN. Of the thousands of prominent people cured by our mild method, NONE PAID A CENT TILL CURED—we furnish their names and letters on application. DRS. THORNTON & MINOR, 1027 Oak St., Kansas City, Mo., and 3969 Olive Street, St. Louis, Mo. NO MONEY TILL CURED

Danger Signals for Women

WRITE US FREELY

and frankly, in strictest confidence, telling all your troubles, and stating your age. We will send you FREE ADVICE, in plain sealed envelope, and a valuable book on "Home Treatment for Women."

Address: Ladies' Advisory Department, The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

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Pain Paroxysms

Waves, billows, oceans of pain, surge over the nerves of the unfortunate victim of female disease at regular intervals. Such suffering is unnatural and unnecessary and can be prevented and relieved with Wine of Cardui. Thousands of women have written to tell of the wonderful relief obtained from

WINE OF CARDUI Woman's Relief

one of these letters is from Mrs. Nancy Cleary of Brewers, N. C., who writes: "Cardui has been worth thousands of dollars to me. Before taking it I was so sick I could not walk. I had dull headache, and aching feelings, had organic trouble for years that was growing worse and felt that I could not live long. I wrote you for advice, which I followed, and in six months I was well. Cardui is really better than you say." For regulating fitful functions and strengthening weak women it has proved extremely effective. Try it.

At Every Drug Store In $1.00 Bottles

LOVE LETTERS IN PARTNER'S NAME

Partner's Wife Helps Woman to Get $10,000 Alimony Decree.

Mrs. Margaret J. Caldwell was granted $10,000 alimony and a divorce from Joseph S. Caldwell of 2700 North Grand avenue, by Judge McElhinney in the Clayton Circuit Court Thursday. Her petition charged infidelity and stated that they were married March 10, 1891, in Kansas City, Kan., and separated Jan. 9, 1906.

The wife testified that her husband was proprietor of a sale stable at 1319 North Broadway and that his income was between $1800 and $2000 a month. She said he neglected her for other women, whom he took out driving and to dinner in the evening, that sometimes he would deny that he had been out with other women, and again would acknowledge it, cursing and swearing and asking her what she was going to do about it. He also called her offensive names, she alleged.

Depositions were submitted from William Ester, a barber, and his wife, Grace, living in a flat at 206 Forty-first street, Chicago, in which they testified that a Mrs. Belle Palmer lived in the same apartment house, and that Caldwell visited her and paid her marked attentions, taking her out driving and frequently remaining with her as late as 3 a. m.

Mrs. Minnie J. Putnam of East St. Louis testified that Caldwell was cold and harsh to his wife, refusing to kiss her when she asked him to. Mrs. Putnam's first husband, she testified, was a business partner of Caldwell, who had letters from women to him addressed in Hildreth's name. They were love letters, she said.

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L. G. ORR RUG CO.

NEW STORE—1117 and 1119 OLIVE STREET—NEW GOODS

Our bargain sales are most successful. The people are with us—that is all we ask. The quality is so high and the prices so low and the assortments so large you cannot help buying if you need anything in Rugs, Carpets, Linoleums, Lace Curtains or Window Shades. We have special big bargains this week in odd sizes of Rugs and extra large Carpets, LESS THAN HALF PRICE. If you have not visited our new stores it will be a surprise to you to see so many Rugs shown in one room. We cordially invite you to call and see the assortment.

LACE CURTAINS

500 Pairs Bonne Femme Lace Curtains, worth $1.50; this sale price..... 41c

5000 Pairs, From 35c to $10.00 to Select From.

The largest and best line of Window Shades in St. Louis, measured and put up free of charge.

300 dozen, special bargain, 36 inches wide, 7 feet long, all fixtures; as many as you want..... 7c

A Big Cut in Price—25 full-sized Room Rugs—fine Axminsters—many patterns—choice this sale $10.50

Less Than Half Price—31 9x12 size Room Rugs in Bussarah Velvet, Imperial Axminsters, this season's new goods, only.... $12.50

150 Odd Sizes Room Rugs—Some 9x12, 9.4x13.6, 10.6x12, in Moquettes, Velvets, Sevarina Velvets, Bigelow and Sanford's—best among the lot; this sale price..... $18.75

$12.50 Brussels Rugs, 9x12..... $8.75
$ 3.25 9x9 Art Squares..... $1.85
$ 5.75 9x12 French Squares..... $3.41

9x12—A large assortment of fine Royal Wiltons, Sanford's Orientals, Smith's and Bigelow's—the finest made. We can save you from $5.00 to $15.00 on some of them. The biggest cut ever made in best Rugs.

SPECIAL BARGAINS

Brussels Stair Carpet.....49c
Best Velvet Stair Carpet....79c
Sanford's Hall Runners, Sanford's 4.6x6.6, 6x9 Hall Rugs, best Axminsters, at very low prices.
Best Stair Oilcloth.....6¾c
Best Linoleum (Scotch).....49c
Best Oilcloth for floors.....19c

150 pairs Lace Curtains.....29c
275 pairs extra quality.....98c
All sizes in small Rugs from 69c up, 30x60, 72x36.
$3.75 Portieres, fine silk novelties; this sale..... $2.25
5 pairs slightly soiled Portieres, samples, cost $18.00 to make; this sale..... $6.50

Bring this ad with you and you will see every item as advertised. Goods sent everywhere.

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While enjoying the delights of a trip abroad, you should take advantage of the additional comfort afforded by our Letters of Credit. We issue them in any amount, also foreign drafts available in all parts of the world.

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CAPITAL & SURPLUS NINE AND ONE-HALF MILLION DOLLARS

Garland's

Bargains in Underwear and Children's Section

Drawers—Ladies' Drawers, with wide hemstitched umbrella ruffle; some lace trimmed: worth 35c; priced Friday..... 21c

Drawers worth 65c, priced 39c
Drawers worth 75c, priced 49c
Drawers worth $1.00, priced 69c

Petticoats—Ladies' Wash Petticoats of good Ginghams, umbrella flounce, with dust ruffle, worth 50c; priced Friday.. 29c

Corset Special—R. & G. $1.00 Summer Corset, with hose supporter, priced Friday..... 49c

Skirts—Ladies' fine Cambric Skirt, —a choice selection of styles and trimmings; all made with dust ruffle; worth $1.50; priced Friday..... 98c

Infants' long and short Pique Coats—of elegant quality, elaborately trimmed with embroidery and medallions; Coats are samples; worth up to $5.00; priced Friday..... $1.98

Drawers — Children's embroidery trimmed drawers, hemstitched cambric skirts, drawers and waists—worth 25c—Friday at..... 19c

Children's Washable Hats, Caps and Bonnets; slightly soiled, but worth up to $1—choice Friday for..... 25c

Thomas K. Garland. 409 N. Broadway

CHINESE HERE ON PAPERS THAT SHOW FORGERY

Ceritificates of Dead Men Altered With Acid and Photograhps Changed.

CLERKS ARE INVOLVED

Use of Government Seal Indicates That Men in Washington Aided Frauds.

When the Federal and immigration authorities began an investigation some time ago into the case of Lee Ling, a young Chinaman against whom the charge of violating the immigration laws is to be heard Thursday afternoon, before United States Commissioner Chase Morsey, a startling scheme of fraud, participated in, it is said, even by Government authorities in Washington, was revealed. There is not much doubt that, with the evidence against him, Ling will be deported.

The fraud lies in counterfeit certificates issued to Chinamen entitling them to remain in America.

A certificate issued years ago to Chinamen who have since died or gone back to China to remain is so changed that it appears to have been granted to the Chinaman who possesses it when the authorities demand the presentation of this certificate. Acid is used to erase the name of the older Chinaman, the name of the younger is substituted and the younger Chinaman's picture is substituted for the photograph of the man to whom the certificate was originally issued.

Upon the arrest of Lee Ling several weeks ago by immigration authorities and after his hearing before Commissioner Morsey, when he exhibited his certificate, Assistant United States District Attorney Horace Dyer and immigration inspectors began an investigation, believing that the certificate was fraudulent.

Photographs Changed.

Charles Key, the Chinaman allied with the Immigration Bureau and versed in the English language, has done much to aid the Federal authorities in such cases and he was chosen to go to Washington to look into the Lee Ling case, as the certificates are issued there.

A numbered stub is kept on file in Washington, supposedly corresponding in every detail to the certificate kept for inspection by the Chinaman to whom it is issued. Photographs are on the original certificate and on the stub as well.

Upon investigation it was found that the number on the certificate produced by Lee Ling had a counterpart in Washington, but the stub there contained the name of a Chinaman 50 years old, whereas Lee Ling's certificate states that he is the man to whom the right to remain in the United States was granted and that he is 20 years of age. The older Chinaman's photograph is on the stub while a good likeness of Lee Ling is on the certificate he produced.

Digging into the case further, Charley Key and others who were investigating returned to St. Louis and reported to the Immigration authorities and to Dyer, who prosecutes the cases at the instance of the Government, that acid had been used to erase the name originally on the certificate.

Government Seal Used.

The photograph of the older Chinaman had been removed from the certificate held by Lee Ling and the latter's picture substituted after his name and age had replaced that of the older man. Acid marks are visible when the paper is held in the right position to the light.

The most startling discovery made was that the seal of the United States Government had been affixed a second time after Lee Ling's photograph and name and age had been substituted, showing, Dyer says, that some official who has access to the seal was in the fraud. Charley Key will leave for Washington after Lee Ling's trial is finished, and further investigations are on foot.

The names of Government officials being watched are withheld until District Attorney Dyer and his assistants can learn more of the facts in the fraud and decide what action will be taken.

Chinamen are said to purchase the fake certificates from men of their own race who are allied with men in Washington.

It is said that hundreds of Chinamen in St. Louis and all the other large cities in the United States have certificates of this kind.

The two photographs are to be used in the trial of Lee Ling Thursday and will then be held as evidence in further investigations by Government officials.

Mrs. Rorer's New Cook Book.

The well-known firm of Liebig Company are publishing a new book by Mrs. S. T. Rorer, who is certainly the leading authority on cooking in the United States today. This new cook book of Mrs. Rorer's is brimful of new ideas, contains sixty pages of up-to-date recipes, and describes how to serve dishes to please the eye as well as the taste. Don't go on in the old way, try the modern way of cheaper yet better cooking. This book will show you how. All you have to do to get this fine, useful cook book, absolutely free, is to send your address on a postal to Leibig's Extract of Meat Co., Ltd., 120 Hudson st., New York. The book will be mailed you promptly.

Harder to Miss.

From the Cleveland Leader.

"I hope I'll have better luck shooting next year."

"Oh, you will. The birds are sure to grow, you know."

IN SOCIETY

Notices of social events intended for publication in the Sunday Post-Dispatch should reach the Post-Dispatch office not later than noon of the Friday preceding.

The engagement of Edwin Steedman of St. Louis and Miss Almira McNeely of Philadelphia was announced early in the week at the home of the bride in Rittenhouse square, Philadelphia, at a luncheon. Miss McNeely is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert McNeely, who are among Philadelphia's oldest and most influential families.

Mr. Steedman is the son of Dr. and Mrs. I. G. Steedman and is a member of several clubs and is well-known in the business world. No plans have been determined on for the wedding nor has the date been decided.

An out-of-town wedding of interest to St. Louisans was that of Miss Emily L. Goodenough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Goodenough of Loveland, O., and Paul G. Palmer of St. Louis. The marriage was solemnized at 3 p. m. Wednesday, May 16, at the home of the bride's parents in Loveland. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Paul Mathews, dean of St. Paul's Cathedral, Cincinnati. The wedding guests were limited to relatives and intimate friends of Miss Goodenough and Mr. Palmer. There were no bridal attendants. The bride wore a pretty toilette of white organdy and Valenciennes lace and carried bride roses and lace ferns. After a tour of the Eastern and Southern points of interest, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer will make their home in St. Louis, where Mr. Palmer is well-known in financial circles.

A successfully executed birthday surprise party was given J. J. Schreiber, superintendent of the Lee Avenue Presbyterian Sunday school, at his residence, 2120 Harris avenue, by the teachers in the Sunday school, members of the Good Cheer Society and other friends Monday evening. The rooms had been mysteriously decorated with appropriate mottoes, etc., and Mr. Schreiber was the recipient of beautiful presents.

Miss Minnie Brune entertained Saturday evening at her home, 700 Bittner street. Games were played until 12 p. m., after which refreshments were served and dancing was begun. Among those present were: Misses Anna Tringle, Lena Miller, Clara Fisher, A. Schnittker, Anda Feicher, Maud Claus, Clara Kraft, Martha Tieman, Lena Neiber, Sarah Claus; Messrs. J. Arens, Tringle Fisher, Buntichter, Burns, Twellmaine, Arensmeir, Stroettmann.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keraus of Hammett place have sold their home and with their daughter, Miss Camille, are now on Washington boulevard. In September they will depart for New Orleans to live.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarkson Potter have taken a cottage at Jamestown, Conanicut Island, and will depart early in June to take possession of it.

Reductions made on tailor suits. Silberstein Ladies' Tailoring Co., 3880 Olive street.

Miss Kittie Stinson celebrated her seventeenth birthday at her home, 1905 South Broadway, Saturday evening, May 12. Among those present were: Mrs. C. Gallagher, Miss Alma Schultz, Amy Bloom, Laura Walsh, Josie Delaray, Amie Luckenbill, Ella Winberhine, Emily Heneck, Mamie Heneck, Elsie Kulzer, Blanche Seymour, Kittie Stinson, Kate Shimonsky, Millie Shimonsky, Lulu Clements, Theresa McNicol, Selena Dungy, Messrs. W. McDermot, C. Strong, G. Weber, E. Fitzgerald, S. Norman, A. Mudd, A. Trask, Collins, S. Shepard, W. Hoshler, H. Zuhlhals, A. Keter, J. Shimonsky.

Wilbur H. Turner of 4424 Arco avenue sails Tuesday, May 22, for Europe. He will visit friends and relatives in London and Paris.

The Church of the Messiah will be made the scene of a pretty wedding next Tuesday at 5 o'clock, when the marriage of Miss Janet Morton and Harold Kauffmann will be celebrated by the Rev. Dr. J. N. Day, pastor of the church. The reception that will follow the service at the church will be at the Vandeventer place home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Isaac W. Morton. The guests will be limited to relatives and intimate friends of the bride and bridegroom. After an Eastern bridal tour Mr. and Mrs. Kauffman will go to housekeeping at 230 North Newstead avenue, where they will be at home to their friends.

Miss Morton will be attended by her sisters, Miss Helen Morton and Miss Alice Morton, and by Miss Violet Kauffman, the bridegroom's sister. Miss Mildred Stickney, Miss Nannie Lee and Miss Carol West.

Mr. Kauffman will have Allen West as best man and Messrs. Hugh McK. Jones, John Holliday, Arthur Stickney, Ralph McKittrick and James Wear will usher and serve as groomsmen.

Mrs. Robert Ernest Fisher of 2830 Ends avenue threw open her home Saturday evening in honor of her pretty young daughter, Isabel, who sails for France next week. The dining room was decorated with American beauty roses and smilax. The guests included: Misses Isabel Fisher, O. Fuchs, Lottie Reibling, Alice Kretzer, B. Shisler, Messrs. Ribling, Farris, Lempe, R. Monroe, L. Cream.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schwarz of 4593 Evans avenue were surprised by their friends Saturday evening, in honor of the tenth anniversary of their wedding. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bogard, George Schwarz, Otto Ude, Dr. Waldemar Ude, William Meyer, Frederick Hobert, Joseph Unger, Charles Lavedure, Dr. G. Walden Applegate, Mr. M. Kline, Misses Edna Kline, Marguerite Nolan, Freida Ude.

Mrs. Albert H. Collier of Atlanta was the guest of honor at a beautifully appointed luncheon given by Mrs. Herbert L. Parker at the Glen Echo Club Monday afternoon. The guests were conveyed to the club in automobiles and after luncheon spent the afternoon on the lawn and veranda of the beautiful clubhouse. Spring flowers were artistically disposed on the luncheon table and about the room. Mrs. Collier is a pretty young matron, who graduated three years ago from Mary Institute and was married a few weeks after leaving the schoolroom. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John Grant, whose guest she is during her visit in St. Louis.

A most enjoyable afternoon was spent at Creve Coeur Lake Sunday by the following young people: Misses Linda Lowe, Martha Ellis, Sarah McMullen, Gussie Bell, Mamie Brennen, Mary Russe, Beatrice Blackford, Luela Nealy, Josie Phelan, Agnes Peas, Margaret Morrison, Margaret Nolte, Beana Rose, Madge Earthal, Loretta Kran, Messrs. W. Flayer, G. Rohle, John Hoban, Adolph Pyle, G. Prince, Frank Dugan, Charles Peas, W. Nealy, E. Foley, Leo Shanak, Harry Thoman, W. Thomas, G. Post, Otto Zimmerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Linneman have given up their apartments at the Hamilton Hotel and are now at the Buckingham.

Mrs. Beulah Lurton Roseberry has issued cards for a dramatic recital she will give at the Odeon Recital Hall Friday evening, May 25.

Dr. and Mrs. George C. Adams of Winstanley Park, East St. Louis, left Monday evening for Springfield, Ill.

At a dinner given Sunday to a small party of friends the engagement of Miss Eva Blumenfeld to Ben Spectre was announced. The wedding will take place early in June.

GRIEVED FOR HUSBAND.

Woman Tries to End Her Life After a Quarrel.

Mrs. Margaret Brown of 2722 North Garrison avenue, 39 years old, attempted to end her life by inhaling gas following a quarrel with her husband over their children and separation from him.

The odor of gas from Mrs. Brown's room was noted at 9 a. m. Thursday by her daughter, Margaret, 8 years old, who opened the door. It was not locked.

Mrs. Brown, fully clothed, lay prone upon the bed. The little girl, terrified, ran screaming to summon neighbors. The woman was taken to the City Hospital.

After the separation Mrs. Brown worried constantly over her husband's absence, and once made a report to the police that he was missing and she feared he had been murdered. She told physicians at the City Hospital when she regained consciousness that he had already taken two of the children from her, and that she did not know his whereabouts. He is a United Railway employe.

All Women

should assist Nature at those times when the system is upset, the nervous tone low and a feeling of depression or languor exists. An experience of over 50 years warrants the statement that no medicine gives such prompt relief as

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Sold Everywhere. In boxes 10c. and 25c.

WHAT CAN BE DONE WITH A "MEXICAN BRAID HAT," THE LATEST SUMMER STYLE FOR BOYS OF ST. LOUIS

Continuation of That Most Interesting Sale of

Trimmed Hats

Choice of our entire $5 line for **$3.50** Friday and Saturday only.

The remarkable success of this sale has induced us to continue it for tomorrow and Saturday. Remember, these are not hats made up for special sale—**it's our regular $5 line which we are now offering to you for $3.50**—and you who have seen these hats know there is nothing to equal them elsewhere under $6 to $7.50.

Blacks, Whites and Colors

All the prevailing styles and shapes—all go without any exception at $3.50.

Every One of These Items Is Worth Your Attention

200 Colored Chips—Good, desirable styles—worth up to $2.50—special at..... 50c

50 Dozen Dress Shapes—in black, white and champagne—in hair, Milans, chips and fancy braids—all the very latest and most desirable styles—Friday—great values at..... 98c

1000 Bunches of Roses, Foliage, Bluets, Lilacs, Forget-Me-Nots, Daisies, June Roses and Wreaths—worth 25c and 35c—special at..... 15c

Children's Straw Napoleons and Streamer Hats—were $1.50—special at..... 98c

Baby Caps About 12 dozen—soiled from handling—choice at..... 25c

3000 Yards All-Silk Ribbon—3½ to 4½ inches wide—all colors—special at..... 10c

Sonnenfeld's

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY BARGAINS AT LUYTIES' MARKET

6th AND FRANKLIN AV.

Home-Grown Strawberries!

FIRST OF THE SEASON.

Full quart Boxes Finest Home-Grown Strawberries, per box..... 5c

Largest size Egg Plant, each..... 10c

New Red Onions— 4 pounds for..... 10c
Early Cabbage—per pound..... 3c
White Tipped Red Radishes— 3 bunches for..... 5c
White Radishes— 2 bunches for..... 5c
Cauliflower—per head..... 10c
Large Cucumbers— 3 for..... 10c
Rhubarb— 2 large bunches for..... 5c
Large Pineapple—regular 20c size—each..... 10c
Watercress— 3 bunches for..... 10c
String Beans—per measure..... 8c
Head Lettuce— 3 heads for..... 10c

Finest White Asparagus—all you want—per bunch..... 5c

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M'ALEER MAY GET TWO STAR PLAYERS

Raven Chieftain Has a Chance to Acquire Williams and Elberfeld of the New York American League Club, Whom Griffith Does Not Like.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 17.—That a change in the personnel of the Highlanders is highly probable within a very short time is not denied.

"Kid" Elberfeld and Williams have been mentioned as particular stars who may be asked to play ball with another club. McGuire's name has also been circulated. There is no more competent shortstop in either league than Elberfeld when he wants to play ball exclusively. The fans may be wrong when they say the "Kid" is a trouble-maker; but it is certain he is always in trouble.

Then, what can you expect from a player who, when he goes to the bat and is told by his manager to do a certain thing, curses the manager and deliberately does what he is told not to do? Elberfeld is the fastest, speediest and safest infielder in either league when he plays real ball, but it is significant that he has more errors on the official score book than any player in either league this season—and the official scorer is usually notoriously lenient about marking up errors. For instance, the fans Saturday credited Elberfeld with two errors. The official score shows only one, the one which presented the game to Cleveland.

Williams has been very busy, almost too busy to play ball. Griffith has stood much from him, but Saturday the limit was reached and Williams was benched after he had played half of one inning.

McGuire, once the best catcher in the country, has let Kleinow catch every game for more than two weeks. Kleinow is a great catcher, but he can't do the work of Hercules. He has been a hero in doing the work he has done.

So a change is expected, and, from what the fans around the American League Park say, it is coming very soon. Griffith had an interview yesterday with Frank J. Farrell, owner of the club. Propositions for trades were made to several clubs. It is definitely known that Detroit will not take Elberfeld back. Once he was the hero there, but now he gets more hisses than hand claps. It is possible that St. Louis may be able to do something with him. Chicago is understood to be bidding, and Boston may be in the field.

'OCK KEYES 'AS FOINE LEFT 'AND

PHILADELPHIA, May 17.—Hock Keyes, the champion lightweight of Australia, last night scored a victory on points over Amby McGarry of New York in a fast 20-round fight at the Tuxedo Athletic Club at North Essington, before a big crowd.

It was Keyes' debut in this country. He made an excellent impression, although he seldom took a chance by forcing matters. His right hand was idle in nearly every round except when he occasionally shot it straight to Amby's ribs or else upper-cut the New Yorker on the neck.

McGarry was the aggressor in every round. He was continually forcing the Australian, but unfortunately for him Amby was not only wild, but he was up against a very cool and clever youth. Besides this, Keyes found a way very early, not only to escape punishment, but also to administer it.

Hurst and Griffith Suspended.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 17.—President Ban B. Johnson announced yesterday that he had suspended Umpire Tim Hurst and Manager Clark Griffith of the Highlanders for five days for indulging in a fight at New York recently. Griffith disputed one of Hurst's decisions and they came to blows on the field before the matter was settled.

President Johnson also announced the indefinite suspension of Kid Elberfeld for disputing decisions of the umpires.

Brooklyn's Brilliant Young Outfielder

ARTHUR LUMLEY.

BROKAW THE BEST COLLEGE GOLFER

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Thirty-six of thg 40 entries started from the first tee in the tenth annual spring golf competition of the University Club, played at the St. Andrews links. Of these 31 finished the two rounds under handicap, as usual.

George T. Brokaw, the old Princetonian, proved in a class by himself, as with 80—78—158 he not only returned the best gross score by several strokes, but tied with Henry A. James of Yale for the best national score. There was no time to play off the tie, so the destiny of the cup was decided by the toss of a coin, Mr. Brokaw proving the winner.

W. R. Thurston was the only other scratch man with Mr. Brokaw, and the best he could do was 84—82—166.

A sweepstakes was won by Henry James with 89—14—75. A. C. Rounds of Amherst with 99—20—79, and F. B. Allen of Harvard with 89—10—79 tied for second prize.

THE SPORTSMAN'S NICHE

There are in New York men who would commerce with Mephistopheles for the souls of their mothers, wives and children. These particular men are in the way of the promotion of prize-fights or boxing matches in the metropolis of the United States.

Just now they are talking of matching Terry McGovern, an unfortunate young man whose sanity has been under grave suspicion for some time, with a strong athlete, Jimmie Britt. This is on the line of dragging the unfortunate Jack Dempsey, a brave, sensitive and honest Irish boy, from the shadow of the tomb to be a punching bag for Tommy Ryan.

Like Dempsey, McGovern is popular with the benighted readers who read not beyond the printed page and thnik not apart the millenium of the present moment. McGovern, liked by the press and the public, can fiet the advertising and draw the "gate." Money is what these promoters are after.

McGovern is a fit subject for a sanitarium rather than to be a gladiator of the roped arena. Let us trust that the decent sporting writers of the great city on the Hudson will not permit this enormity to be perpetrated.

When the soi-disant breeders' law was being placed, and erased, from the statutes of Missouri we were told that to pass it would enhance and to repeal it would ruin the business of breeding the thoroughbred horse in Missouri. Yet the said thoroughbred, in whose name such a multitude of sins have been committed, never flourished so or sold for so much in Missouri as in the year after the death of the statute from which he was supposed to derive existence.

Of all sad sights that we have seen the saddest is that of George Erhlich, Billy Sippy, Ikey Cohen, Tom Gleason, C. J. Brockmiller and other gentlemen of the tall stool who in previous spring seasons were wont to contumeliously cop our current cush, paying their little six bits for admission to the baseball park. It is a spectacle calculated to make angels weep.

In comenting upon the appointment of John C. Meyers to the swimming instructorship of the M. A. C., Miles J. Burke hits the zylophone several tinky taps with his little hammer when he says in the faint praise which is the most damning condemnation, "Meyers is a hustler, but it remains to be seen how he gets along with the swimming squad. Said swiming squad being, by the way, Marq and Otto Schwarz.

Meyers ought to be able to square the swelbund.

Englishmen who are taking up baseball limit teams to two Americans as a matter of precaution. We would draw the attention of the advanced Britons who are promulgating the greatest of games to the fact that the Kelleys, Keefes, Bergens, Connors, and about 'steen thousand other Irishmen have cut some large figure at this game in America. So to be on the safe side the Englishmen had best hang out the "No Irish Need Apply" sign. Having done this they may manage to get some kind of an even game among themselves.

Philadelphia papers assert that Soden and Conant, owners of the Boston National League team, advertised a benefit game for the San Francisco earthquake sufferers, drew a good gate, then held a meeting, reconsidered their previous action and voted the money to themselves. This may look had at first glance, but if the gentlemen are compelled to watch their team play we must admit that they suffer agonies far beyond those which could possibly accrue to victims of any old seismic cataclysm.

Lack of the quality of intellectual alertness seems to be the crying short coming of the young baseball players of today.

A lively imagination can bring into its own purview baseball players who seems to be carried in the air, feet off the ground or scarcely touching by the force of their own vibrating intellectuality. It is hard to set all this forth in plain words, but the idea is that of wireless telegraphy and these automobiles which supply the electricity from which they secure motion. In plain words, the active brain of a good ball player seems to lift him up by the ears and carry him through a game with speed weight and great effect.

We read of this boy Niles of the Ravens being fast of foot and a probable great baserunner. Mike Kelly, the greatest base runner I ever saw, was slow of foot but fast of fancy and ran his bases on his head. The feet cut little figure in it. Kelley was slow compared with real fast men and towards the end he was slow indeed, but he stole just as many bases at Allentown as he did in Chicago.

Truly too many men have fest and too few brains

ARMY AND NAVY DENOUNCE SHAW

Object to His Remark That Men With Ideas Are Court-martialed.

ONLY JOKING, HE SAYS

He Meant to Say That Originality Is Not Encouraged.

By Wire from the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Secretary Shaw neglected to label as a joke his statement that officers of the army and navy have been court martialed for having ideas. Today the Secretary stated that he did not mean literally that men in the army were punished for putting forth ideas. What he meant to convey was that the military services does not encourage its officers and men to take the initiative.

When they enter the service they have ideas and endeavor to have them adopted. But after vainly trying to bring this about, and after failing a number of times, they are no longer troubled with ideas, but are willing to drift with the tide. Secretary Shaw said his statement was merely a figure of speech and was intended to be made in a jocular vein. But he aimed too high, and he will never joke with the army and navy again.

Army and Navy Indignant.

The Secretary has been roundly denounced in army and navy circles for his statement that a man in the army or navy with an idea was courtmartialed, and that the military service paralyzed individual effort. None of the officers of either branch of the service would permit themselves publicly to criticize a member of the Cabinet, but they did not hesitate to say privately that Secretary Shaw is badly mistaken, and that if he had made an investigation he would not have made his unjust charge against the army and navy.

It is pointed out that it is not true that an officer has ever been court-martialed for having an idea; on the contrary, some of them have been rewarded, a few of them by making fortunes out of their ideas. They declare that many of the latest devices now used in both the army and the navy are the inventions of officers serving the Government. Some of these inventions have made the American navy take the lead in many respects, and cause the other powers to come to America for ideas to improve the effectiveness of their armies and navies, and they are borrowing the ideas of army and navy officers.

LEWIS AND GANS READY FOR RECONTRE

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Joe Gans and Willie Lewis worked yesterday from early morn until sunset in preparation for their six round bout tonight in Madison Square Garden. It was the final hard days training for both of them. Today they will indulge only in light work to keep on edge.

Gans put in his last touches at No. 140 East Thirty-Second street and he was full of fight. He slammed two sparring partners around as if they were sawdust bags, and seemed to be a glutton for work. Lewis was at Johnson's Road House. He took on Terry McGovern twice, and the pair made things lively. Terry had an incentive in his coming bout with Britt for fast work and he led Lewis along at a telling clip.

Both Gans and Lewis expressed confidence in winning. Despite Gans' acknowledged ability Lewis believes he will defeat him. Willie has long sought a match with Gans and now that he has one forthcoming he is determined to make the most of it.

EASTERN PLAYERS FLOUT COLLINS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Members of America's team that challenged for the Davis international lawn tennis cup continued practice on the Crescent Athletic Club courts at Bay Ridge. The western player, Kreigh Collins, did not show any improvement and was early defeated in all of his matches.

So much opposition to practicing against Collins was developed that the round robin singles were abandoned and only the doubles will be continued. Despite this feeling that Collins has failed to show any form and that he would show to disadvantage against the experts of Austria, France and Australia and England, Collins sticks to his position on the team and says that he intends to sail with the others on Friday.

The official in charge of the team, who on Monday night declared that Collins would resign, said that it had been decided to allow Collins to go "if he wanted to."

Collins was defeated by Carl Behr in straight sets, 6—2, 6—3 and 6—2. Behr has never been classed with Collins. Later in the day Beals C. Wright won in straight sets from Collins at 6—1, 6—2 and 6—3.

The other singles brought Raymond D. Little against Frederick G. Anderson and Little won 2—6, 6—3 and 6—2. Wright played Ward a spectacular 6—4 set.

TERM-END DOINGS AT THE M. S. U.

Exercises to Mark the Commencement Will Extend Over Five Days.

COLUMBIA, Mo., May 17.—The authorities of Missouri University made today their annual announcement of the commencement program as follows:

Saturday, June 2—Class day exercises and Stephens Medal contest.

Sunday, June 3—Baccalaureate sermon by Bishop Talbot of Pennsylvania, a former Missourian.

Monday, June 4—Luncheon and class play.

Tuesday, June 5—Alumni address by Lieutenant-Governor McKinley, business meeting of the Alumni Association and Phi Betta Kappa banquet.

Wednesday, June 6.—University address by Frederick W. Lehman of St. Louis; commencement exercises, alumni luncheon and reception to all commencement visitors and seniors by University Council.

Among the distinguished visitors will be Joseph W. Folk and staff. They will be present at the luncheon and the reception by the University Council. The alumni luncheon will be held in the new gymnasium. At the annual business meeting matters of importance to the Alumni will be discussed. Re organization will take place and plans for continuing the quartely publication will be taken up.

Hoey for Athletics.

WORCESTER, Mass., May 17.—Connie Mack of the Philadelphia Athletics will win out in the three-cornered fight between the Boston Nationals, Boston Americans and the Athletics for the services of Jack Hoey, crack left fielder of the Holy Cross nine.

Hugh McBreen of the Boston Americans was here with Hoey last night, but the latter refused to sign a contract. This, his friends say, is because of the excellent offer made to him by Mack, who has watched his work for two seasons. They say he will join the Athletics at the close of the college season.

Hoey won't say anything. He was first noticed in 1904 because of fine outfield work, and through sticking ability is known as "Home Run Hoey." He lived up to his reputation in the game with Georgetown today.

Baseball Babble

Lumley, the Brooklyn right fielder, acts like a crackerjack, a rare specimen of the thick-set, sturdy, yet speedy athlete. He seems imbued with the very desirable quality of cerebral celerity, also with what, for want of a better name is known as baseball instinct.

The manner in which he plays a ball almost before it is hit is very pleasing to practiced eyes. He does not start with the proverbial term "crack of the bat," used to designate rapid fielding. He actually seems to start as the ball is pitched. Lumley hits in good style and seems to have a useful arm.

The flies lit on McCarthy Tuesday afternoon. He caught five of them within a radius of ten feet. To show he could do it, he made a long run for McBride's dangerous-looking smash to left center and belt it, though Maloney's head crashed into his face at the moment of contact.

Two curious coincidences occurred in Tuesday's Cardinal-Brooklyn game. Hatch muffed Raub's easy foul, then threw the rattled receiver out on the next ball pitched. Lewis missed Shannon's easy one in the ninth, but got him on Smoot's force on the next play.

Arndt is playing grounders blindly. The diamond at League Park is not smooth and true, and the third baseman goes at them as if he feared for his face on a bad bound.

When Taylor was hit for two singles and a double after two men were gone in the fifth inning at League Park Tuesday, some spectators cried: "Take him out!" It may interest these fanciers to know that Jack has never yet been knocked off the slab in a major league lamfest. He has been hit hard now and then, but, strange to say, it has been his fortune to have the other pitcher commensurately punished on such occasions. He lost to Powell 21-19—a handball score some years ago—but was always close up during the game. This is a rare record for a veteran pitcher and one of which Taylor is very properly proud.

On ordinary plays McBride is as good a fielder as Wallace. It is or extraordinary or unusual chances that the Cardinal falls down. This ability to cope with the odd, unexpected and unusual is, by the way, the only and exact difference between a first and second class man.

Arndt is batting excellently and is doing the hitting of the hit and run play as well as any man alive.

If all flies came to him as five did to McCarthy at League Park Wednesday, Schulte of the Chicago Cubs would be a great outfielder. The blond boy is the town pump of outfielders. Any ball that does not drop within two feet of his standing position belongs to someone else.

Nealon, the Californian who plays first for Pittsburg, is a champion hand ball player at the regulation game.

Marshall, McCloskey's recently acquired outfielder has been a bookmaker's clerk for the past year and has played ball not at all. He is a home-run hitter.

Dates for Davis Matches.

Dates for the challenge matches for the Davis International Lawn Tennis Cup and the schedule of the contests were announced by the English National Lawn Tennis Association at its recent meeting. The first day, Friday, June 15, will place the doubles match on the Wimbledon Court with the Doherty brothers defending against the pair of the nation, winning the preliminaries which includes the United States, France, Austria and Australia.

Saturday, June 16, and Monday, June 18, will be devoted to the singles.

Stovall Sold to Blues.

President Lennon of the St. Paul club has announced that Manager Padden has sold Pitcher Jesse Stovall to the Kansas City club.

Stovall is an excellent slab artist and will add considerable strength to the Kansas City team, which is comparatively weak in its pitching department.

Charges Ferguson today asked Manager Padden for his release, stating that he wanted to rest this year and go umpiring.

Padden will probably grant Ferguson his wish in a few days, as soon as his other pitchers get into form.

Big Welcome Planned.

NEW YORK, May 17.—On their return from Athens the American Olympic team will be given a big reception here, plans for which are fast being pushed toward completion.

It has been arranged for a steamer to meet the athletes down the bay, and about May 25 a banquet is to be given in their honor.

Rickey of the Ravens is by all odds the star of this year's major league matriculators. The Post-Dispatch saw him first, and before he played a game.

GOSSIP of the Golfers

Duffy, the Country Club professional, finds it profitable and pleasureable to cultivate play of ladies at golf. He has a fine class at the Clayton links. Mrs. Scudder, Miss Semple, Mrs. Kennerly, Mrs. T. H. West Jr., Mrs. D. K. Catlin, Mrs. Mersman, Mrs. C. Mal.. Clarke, Miss Mary Wilby, Miss Rumsey, Mrs. Heitz and other ladies who have previously played good golf, are practicing assiduously this season. Mrs. White, Mrs. Newberry, Miss Newman and ladies of Glen Echo are not as diligent as their neighbors across the country.

Arthur Stickney, who seems to have in him the constituents of the best golfer in St Louis, is giving what little time he can spare from heavy press of business to watching professional baseball games. Which does not improve his long or short game at golf one bit.

Clay Pierce is one of the Country Club men who are diligent in practice. Mr. Pierce is of championship caliber about this city.

The putting course at Glen Echo is one of Foulis' special prides, and there are not a few of them.

Gen. McGrew is not playing much golf these days. He spends his time at Glen Echo showing visitors his light Brahma rooster, his sleek Jersey cows and his great, fat Allesbury drake.

Members of the Glen Echo Club will be ashamed to meet or look a laying biddy in the face by July 1. They already kill and eat 250 chickens a week at the big organization, and business has not yet begun. Two thousand chickens are always in the pens, 200 of them ever ready for neck wringing.

John W. Lowry, the Titanic tee thumper of Glen Echo, always reminds me of the heroic figure of Matt, The Thrasher, as Charles Kickham portrays him throwing the hammer against Capt. French in his beautiful story, "The Homes of Tipperary." Mr. Lowry does wade into it, but he does not get half his force into play and falls away from his ball in most distressing fashion. Perhaps it will that his form is not perfect. Were it so he would probably be the most terrific driver in the world, not bar the famous Mr. Blackwell of whose driving all the English and Scotch professionals in this country speak with bated breath.

Jesse L. Carleton captain and best man of the Glen Echo Club, is in Virginia visiting friends. He is keeping up his golf and will be in rare shape for the local championship next month.

Herrmann in Queer Role.

CINCINNATI, O., May 17.—President Herrmann of the Cincinnati club today sent a note of protest to President Pulliam of the National League against the suspension of McGann of the New York team. McGann was put out of the game on Saturday by Umpire Johnstone in the eleventh inning and suspended indefinitely. President Hermann said the player's remarks were not heard by the crowd and that there was no display of anger sufficient to cause a scene. The Reds' leader thinks the punishment meted out to McGann is too severe for the offense.

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RYAN RHAPSODIZES SHERIDAN'S SUCCESS

Jovial Jester of Southern Hotel Drops Into the Vein Poetic When Thinking of the Great Victory America Achieved at the Olympic Games.

Between calls of "Front," handshakes and jokes John J. Ryan, the jovial jester of the Southern Hotel jotted down the following "piece" on the back of a used envelope:

HOW SHERIDAN DID THE GREEK.

Giorgantas seized the discuss and poised it in his right
And glared in pitying scorn at his rivals ranged about.
Then he breathed hard and braced himself, and using all his might,
He shot the missile in the air as he gave a mighty shout.

"Yi, yow!" one hundred thousand Greeks exclaimed in lusty glee:
"Yi, yow!" And how they danced around the man who sped the flying sphere!
They hugged and kissed the giant, while as fas ar eye could see
The multitude kept waving hands; King Ed. exclaimed "ear, 'ear!"

Then Sheridan from Bohola, in the glens of sweet Mayo,
Stepped over to the circle and limbered up his threwa;
Then he twisted half-way over and he swung around quite slow,
And he flung the disc of metal in a style that couldn't lose.

Then as the missile skippered far, far into the air,
Martin laughed at Eddie", calmly, as he chuckled "Twenty-three.",
And the Stars and Stripes soon flew aloft and everybody there
Knew the Mayo Kid had skinned the Greek; and humbled old Vic's heir.

"I reckon that'll hold those English guys for a while," said Ryan. "I see that Giorgantas wouldn't shake hands with Sheridan when the man from Mayo put the Indian sign on him. Well, wait until Martin gets here and there will be more handshaking done than ever was known during the hottest election in the Fourth Ward.

"I see the Irish-American Athletic Club is on the job already with a testimonial banquet in the Hotel Astor for their athletes who did such a fine stunt at Athens. There's going to be 600 diners, and Judge Dowling, Recorder Goff, Judge Fitzgerald, Bourke Cockran and other famous Irish talkers will say good words for the boys, while Andrew Mack, the sweetest of Irish singers, will warble the melodies of the old land. That ought to be a blowout for every Irishman that has the real blood in him to go to see and to tell his children all about in the years acoming.

"I hear the boys are on the Republic, that arrives in New York on the 24th. Well, alsy now, but there'll be doings in Hoboken when the bunch from the Irish-American Athletic Club gets over there to meet them—and it won't be beer. That's us!" concluded John as he made for the Patch.

College Collations

An unusual ferment was created in Washington University athletic circles Wednesday when it was announced that as a result of a meeting of the Faculty Board seven of the members of the track and field team would not be allowed to accompany their teammates to Columbia, Mo., Saturday, to participate in the dual Washington-Missouri meet, the big track and field meet of the year, on account of conditions in their studies. Mackey, Taylor, McFarland, Zahorsky, Wernel, Johnson and Meier were the men affected.

The action of the board will undoubtedly give the meet to Missouri, as the Tigers are almost certain to take firsts and seconds in the following events; 880 yards, 1 and 2 mile, low hurdles, high jump and hammer.

Mackey is Washington's crack hurdler; Taylor, a crack baseball player and the fastest low hurdler at the Myrtle and Maroon; McFarland has been doing 68 inches in the high jump; Wernel was expected to dispute the 880 with Ellis; Johnson is the best boy at the Pikeway institution in the one-mile and two-mile, and Meier was best in the 220 and 440.

Captain Benecke of the baseball nine has resigned his position and has left school to enter business with his father at Brunswick, Mo.; Thomas, the big first baseman of the team, is the most probable candidate for captain, and he will probably be elected to the position by his teammates before the nine returns from its jaunt to Fayetteville, Ark., where the Myrtle and Maroon play Arkansas University, Friday and Saturday.

Washington University athletic adherents expect Grover to annex the quarter-mile at Columbia as well as the 220 and 220. If the Warrensburg boy has not worked himself stale by his recent arduous trials at the Jai Alai and Rolla meets, he will probably not disappoint those enthusiasts who believe him the fastest man in a running shoe in the State, for any distance up to one-half mile.

The Myrtle and Maroon team has but two games on its schedule after the Arkansas games, one with Westminster College at Fulton, Mo., May 25, and the second at Marshall, Mo., the following day, with Missouri Valley College.

Ned Smith, the clever young C. B. C. twirler, who encompassed the defeat of the hard-hitting Country Club team Saturday, will pitch for the College at Alton, Thursday, against Western Military Academy. Coad will receive him. Stunts McMahon will make his debut in center field, a position in which he should perform with as much effectiveness as he does behind the bat.

An announcement fraught with trouble for St. Louis U. was made at C. B. C. Wednesday, when Mattox, last year star twirler of the Purple and Gold, reported that he would be able to pitch next Saturday's game against St. Louis University. Mattox last year vied with Title of Washington University for the distinction of being the best college twirler in the city. Illness has kept Mattox away from school this year, but now that he is in shape C. B. C. will be favored by many to win the remaining three games of the C. B. C.-St. L. U. series.

May Play Baseball.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—The town authorities of Provincetown, Mass., have withdrawn their opposition to baseball playing in that town on Sunday by the blue jackets of the North Atlantic fleet.

JEFFRIES MAY BE BASEBALL MAGNATE

LOS ANGELES, May 17.—Jim Jeffries, champion heavyweight, may become the next manager and owner of the Los Angeles baseball club. Although Jeffries will not state positively that he will take the management of the team in the event that Manager Morley drops out of baseball, he says enough to lead the public to believe that he is willing and anxious to break into baseball as the "angels'" manager.

Jeff said today, when questioned about the rumor: "I won't say that I will or I won't say that I won't. The Pacific Coast League may ask an exorbitant price for the franchise, so I shall wait until after the meeting of the league this week, and then I will know how things stand."

CURE IS GIVING HOPPE A GAME

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 17.—By defeating Willie Hoppe, the boy billiard champion, in both their games here yesterday in the 3600-point 18-inch two-shots in balkline billiard match, Louis Cure, the French expert, now leads in the contest by more than 500 points.

Last night Cure played a good, steady game, defeating Hoppe handily by 400 points to 237. The winner ran out his string of 400 points in 13 innings, making an average of 33 1-3, with high runs of 104, 102 and 53.

By clever position play and good rail work the Frenchman won the afternoon game by a score of 400 to 160.

The total score for the three nights' play is: Cure, 2000; Hoppe, 1254.

PELVIC DISEASES

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WOMEN DRESSED IN MEN'S CLOTHES

Photograph Introduced in Slander Suit Brought by Landlady.

A little prank, in which five women, including the landlady, dressed up in men's clothes, "just for fun," was introduced in evidence Thursday in the form of a picture in Mrs. Fannie Runa's slander suit against Michael Lefiander.

Mrs. Runa, the central figure of the group, stood above the others. Her sister on one side and the other three boarders from Mrs. Runa's boarding house, 3100 Locust street, made a pretty picture. Mrs. Runa admitted the picture was taken out of doors and modestly confessed several men gazed her way when she stood before the camera.

Michael Lefiander and his wife formerly boarded with Mrs. Runa. There was a divorce action in the Lefiander family and Mrs. Runa was a witness.

Lefiander, Mrs. Runa says, accused her after the divorce trial of testifying falsely. She believes he has said things about her in connection with that testimony that have injured her. She brought suit for slander. The case was on trial in Judge Fisher's court Thursday.

Lawyers Drabelle and Robinson, representing Lefiander, presented the picture of the five women attired as men for the Judge's consideration. After it had been inspected, several questions about it were asked Mrs. Runa.

White With Sox Again.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., May 17.—"Doc" White, the pitcher of the Chicago club of the American League, who has been coaching the baseball nine of the midshipmen this season, will join his team at Washington today. He will stay with it during the series of three games in New York which follow, but expects to return to Annapolis for the week preceding the game with West Point on Saturday, May 26.

May Row at Henley.

It has been voted by the Harvard Athletic Association to allow the freshmen crew to participate in the American Henley regatta at Philadelphia, May 26, provided it wins the interclass event on Friday afternoon on the Charles River.

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GIRL SLAVE ON TRIAL SAYS SHE WILL BE FREED

Jury Will Condone Murder of Uncle and Aunt, She Believes.

HUSBAND DEFENDS HER

Says Enslavers of Pretty Josefina Terranova Deserved Their Fate.

DEFENSE IS OUTLINED

Attorney Claims Girl Mistreated Up to Time of Her Marriage.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Josefina Terranova, the pretty Sicilian girl on trial for the murder of the relatives who enslaved her, is confident that a jury of 12 fathers will understand and set her free. As she crossed the Bridge of Sighs from her cell in the Tombs to enter the courtroom she said:

"I am glad that the men who are to decide my fate are men with daughters. They will know. Men who have daughters have hearts. They will understand, and will set me free."

Gleuseppe, the husband, was in court when the young prisoner entered. Their eyes met, but they exchanged no words.

"She did right to kill them," said the husband. "It was what she should have done. They deserved death."

The Crime.

The present trial is for the killing of Mrs. Concetta Riggio, at 110 East 220th street, on Feb. 22 last, as Assistant District Attorney Ely explained to Judson C. Travis, the first talesman called. Mr. Palmeri, in cross-questioning the talesmen, outlined the case for the defense—that Josephine, when a little girl, was entrusted by her widowed mother in Sicily to the care of her prosperous uncle and aunt in New York; that she was their household drudge; that when she was 12 years old the uncle, aided by the aunt, abused her; that the treatment was continued up to the time of the girl's marriage with Terranova, last February; that Terranova questioned Josephine, and, upon her confession of all that had happened, left her; that the girl thereupon killed the two who had ruined her.

"We maintain that at the time of the homicide the defendant's mind was in such a condition that she could not know the nature of her act," said Mr. Palmieri.

To the casual American observer this girl, charged with murder, at first appears pretty and pathetic. She appears unmoved, because all the court proceedings flow by her in a stream of legal polysyllables whose meaning she does not know, for she has very little English, and that little is of the simplest. Moreover, the keenness of her emotion is dulled because she feels that she did precisely the right thing in killing Gaetano and Concetta Riggio.

Is Only Seventeen.

Yet the apathetic expression vanished in an instant every time her attorney, ex-Judge Palmieri, asked Josephine a question. For he spoke Italian, and that quickened her interest and filled her countenance with animation. The defendant is only 17 years old, but she looks as mature as an American girl of 24. She is of medium height, with a rather graceful figure, a trifle too heavy to be beautiful. She has luxuriant mass of wavy dark-brown hair, and her pale, dark skin is exquisitely clear.

For that tired feeling refresh yourself with a Belcher bath. Fourth and Lucas.

DOWN WILL GO TOWER.

Dynamite to Wreck Wireless Telegraph Structure.

The De Forest wireless telegraph tower, which during the World's Fair was a rival attraction to the Ferris wheel, will next week suffer the fate of the wheel. The Chicago wrecking company, now its owner, has decided to wreck it with dynamite.

Men are busy dismantling the lighter works of the structure. When this is finished the large charge of dynamite will be placed under the foundation of the tower, and the heavier iron work will be demolished. There are about 150 tons of structural iron in the tower, costing originally $50 a ton. It was sold to the Chicago company after the city rejected it as a gift.

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You often hear of the Tree of Knowledge, so why couldn't the term "Tree of Information" be appropriately applied to the Sunday Post-Dispatch Want Directory? Test the propriety of this cognomen next Sunday and see if this wonderful Directory is not literally an "Oak of Publicity" that bears each week's wealth of exclusive

Information About Things Wanted!

Girl Who Killed Her Uncle and Aunt, and Doctors in Defense of Insanity

GHOSTS OF THOSE SHE SLEW BEG HER TO FORGIVE THEM

Josefina Terranova, Child Bride, Stabbed Uncle and Aunt to Death Because They Enslaved Her, and Now, She Says, Their Spirits Visit Her in Prison.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

BY RUTH EARLE.

NEW YORK, May 17.—Josefina Terranova, when she goes on the witness stand in her trial that started today, will declare that she has been haunted by the ghosts of Gaetano and Concetta Riggio, her uncle and aunt, whom she stabbed to death. She tells of them as if it were quite the usual thing in New York for ghosts to camp upon doorsteps, and as if it shouldn't surprise her in the least to hear that the Tombs prison is haunted.

In the matron's room of the woman's prison, where not a few in Josefina's class have told their life history, this daughter of Sicily smiled with a dozen dimples in her fresh young face and prattled of things transcendental as of cabbages and kings or any other everyday things.

She told again of the murder and "God's voice" that bade her commit it, with interest, rather than emotion. She told of her terrible childhood as one, who has been unjustly cheated—that was all.

Defense Is Hallucination.

Josefina Terranova does not realize that she is about to contribute one of the most picturesque hallucination defenses murder courts have heard in many perigees. She looked out of her clear hazel eyes with the simple faith of which poets sing, and that most women in her position exert much art attain.

"Why must I be afraid to tell my story to those what you call them—jurors?" she asks ingenuously. "If I done wrong I might be. I obeyed God's voice. Was there harm in that? Did I know it was God's voice? Maria! Do I know the clouds bring rain and the sun light? There are ways of finding out.

"It cried to me so long there, day and night, when I lay on the floor and grieved that my husband would love me no more. I begged it to go away—it bothered me so.

"It cried 'Kill him!' so loud and never-stopping that I knew it was God's voice. The devil gets tired if you don't do his bidding. God can't.

"Then I crossed myself—like this—and every time I got more courage. That is a sure sign for to make the cross scares the devil away.

Sees Victims' Spirits.

"Could I have still doubts? I did God's will. If I had sinned would they come to me now—Concetta and Gaetano—laughing sad and sorry, crying out, 'Forgive us!'

"When do they come? O, so often; not for a week now, but before that, every night I would see them on the brick wall of my cell, always together and always crying 'Forgive!'

"At first I was afraid. I thought they came to do me evil, and I shrank away and cried. But they came because they could not rest easy with the curse on their souls.

"Did I forgive them?'

A frown knit the girl's brow and the faraway look in her eyes seemed to see all the wickedness of her lost girlhood.

"At first I could not," she resumed. "But they bothered me so that to get them away I said: 'Yes, I forgive you.'"

"Still they come—how do you say—butt in, and I have to hang up my apron so as not to see them. Sometimes we talk just as if they were alive, not dead, with my knife-wounds in their breasts.

"Did I ever love them, you ask? They were my father and mother, that was all. I did not know better. I did all the work and spent my life for them. Nothing did they ever give me except beatings and wrongs, but I had no way to see that was not their right.

No Real Love.

"I know the young must love the old and work for them, but my heart was not theirs as it is Giuseppe's. Until he asked my hand and married me with this ring—In the City Hall and the church—before all the people, I never knew love.

"That bad uncle and aunt of mine—their hearts were hard—hard as bricks. Why when the priest had blessed us in the church, my aunt said to me: 'May you be dead before night!'

"Was that the blessing of an aunt who called herself 'mother'? Oh, but Concetta was bad!

"Now that I have lived here, where all are kind and I can talk with good people (the irony of innocence), I knew how right I was to kill them. Death is the only way to wipe out such shame.

"Am I happy now? So happy! I can play all day in this pleasant place, with so little work I am never tired, and there is no one to beat me and cry curses in my ears.

"Yes, God is good."

That is part of little Josefina's story. If she tells it with the same frank confidence she may affect the jury more than the arguments of her counsel, John Palmieri.

It is the story of the victim of the strongest sort of a sheltered life. The little shut-in was a guarded prisoner in the den of the most diabolical foster-parents imagination could picture, according to her story. She lived quite alone with them. She dared speak to none. There was no conscience-voice to tell her evil; her guardians called evil good.

SOLD WOMAN'S FARM, ARRESTED

George Decker Accused of Obtaining Money Under False Pretenses.

George A. Decker, 26 years old, was arrested Wednesday night at 7412 Minnesota avenue, where he was staying on a warrant charging him with obtaining money under false pretenses. The warrant was sworn out before Justice Campbell of St. Louis County. He was taken to the Four Courts holdover.

To a Post-Dispatch reporter Thursday Decker said that he supposed the warrant had been sworn out by H. W. Stanley of St. Louis County, with whom he had a real estate transaction recently. He had advertised a farm of 20 acres in Phelps County for sale, $25 down and monthly payments of $5.

Stanley, he said, had bought the farm. Decker declares that he told Stanley that he himself had never seen the farm; that he was selling it for a woman named Hutchinson, and advised Stanley to take a look at the farm before purchasing.

Stanley gave Decker a check for $25, which the latter cashed, but says that, fearing there might be some trouble about the farm, he left with his wife a check for $25 to give to Stanley in the event that the latter made complaints about the transaction.

Decker heard nothing more, however, until he was arrested, he says. He says that he is unable to remember the full name or address of the woman for whom he sold the farm, and who used to be in his employ, and he does not remember Stanley's precise address.

PRUDENT HOUSEKEEPERS

Will read the "Ready-to-Wear bargains in Friday's POST-DISPATCH.

MILLION-DOLLAR WEST END DEAL

Monticello Hotel and Other Property Said to Be Involved.

BILL OF SALE IS DRAWN

Revere Real Estate Co. Will Become Owner If Deal Goes Through.

The Commonwealth Trust Co. expects to consummate a $1,000,000 deal within the next two days, involving the Monticello Hotel and other King's highway property between West Pine boulevard and Forest Park boulevard.

As regards the Monticello Hotel, the trust company is known to be acting for the Revere Real Estate Co., composed of J. D. Dana, president, and Edward F. Goltra, treasurer. These two, with E. C. Dameron and Erastus Wells, make up the Board of Directors of the realty company, which will become the owner of the hotel if the present deal goes through. A bill of sale for the hotel has already been drawn.

Mississippi in Deal.

The Mississippi Valley Trust Co. is acting as representative of the present management of the hotel in the deal.

The former home of Dr. Washington West, one of the handsomest of the West End mansions and a spot of historic interest, is said to be involved in the deal. Other property south of the mansion, stretching as far as Forest Park boulevard, is understood to be contemplated as part of it.

Robert H. Connell, head of the real estate department of the Commonwealth Trust Co., admitted Thursday that part of the report dealing with the hotel property, but denied that the Washington West site and adjacent lots were involved.

It is stated that the Revere Realty Co. has plans for the improvement of the northeast corner of King's highway and Leclede avenue with a six-story fireproof apartment building, to cost $350,000.

Plans for the improvement of the entire frontage on the east side of King's highway, between Leclede avenue and Forest Park boulevard, also understood to be included in the deal along the same line, are now under consideration, it is said.

Tom W. Bennett is handling the Mississippi Valley End of the deal.

WIFE LEFT HIM, HE HANGED HIMSELF

East Side Teamster Tied One End of Rope to Chandelier Hook.

Valentine Peterson, aged 57, a teamster living at 607 Piggott avenue, East St. Louis, ended his life at his home Thursday morning by hanging himself with a clothes line from a hook in the ceiling of his bedroom. Worry over domestic troubles, his wife having left him three weeks ago, is believed to have caused the deed.

Valentine called his son at 4 a. m. Thursday and helped him to get away on a fishing excursion. An hour and a half later his daughter, Mrs. Sophia Maroney, who lived with him, came downstairs from her bedroom to get breakfast. Passing Valentine's bedroom she saw his body lying on the floor.

Entering she found that he was dead. A rope was tied about his neck and to the other end was attached the chandelier hook, which had been pulled from the ceiling. The table was lying near him, where he had evidently kicked it after standing on it to fasten the rope to the chandelier hook.

Mrs. Maroney went to a grocery near by and from there the police were notified. The body was taken to Kurrus' Morgue and an inquest will be held.

Valentine had lived in East St. Louis nearly all his life and was well-known there. He owned several teams and was said to be doing well in a business way.

DAILY RECORD OF MARKETS

TITLE TRUST A STRONG FEATURE

Very Good Demand Lifts This Security to Bids at $74.

GENERAL LIST STEADY

Bank and Miscellaneous Issues Show Little Change on the Call.

Title Trust was the strong feature of the local stock trading today, the price rising to sales in the early session at $72.50, and closing the trading in excellent demand at $74 bid. The general list was more active than yesterday, and some good buying orders were in the market for special issues.

United Railways 4s were again in good investment inquiry and rose a sharp fraction on sales as high as $86.50. The preferred stock was steady at $83.87½, and the common stock was inactive but firm.

The demand in the bank and trust list was light, and prices quoted showed little if any change from yesterday. The miscellaneous and bond lists were firm throughout.

FIRST SESSION.

	Bid.	Asked.
Boatmen's	$254 00	$257 00
Merchants-Laclede	305 00	
Nat. Bank of Commerce	332 00	335 00
State National	195 00	199 00
Third National	312 00	314 00
Commonwealth		331 00
Mercantile		382 50
Mississippi Valley	350 00	
Missouri-Lincoln	134 00	136 50
St. Louis-Union	388 00	390 50
Title Guaranty	74 00	76 00
Brown Bros. Subs.	1 12½	
United Railways pfd.	86 75	86 87½
do 4s	86 87½	86 75
do com V.-T.	50 25	50 50
National Candy com.	14 25	14 50
do 1st pfd	96 50	
Cent. Coal & Coke com.	00 87½	61 00
West. A. A. & S. C. Co.		30 00
Union Dairy		147 00
Chicago Equipment	8 30	8 35
Simmons 1st pfd.	129 00	
do 2d preferred	121 00	
Ely-Walker com. 2d pfd.	96 00	97 50
E. St. L. & Sub. Ry. 5s		101 50
City 3.65s		99 25
Lexington Heights	110 75	
Lindell	103 50	
K. C. Home 5s	94 00	

SALES.

United Railways preferred, 70 at $83.87½.
United Railways 4s, $3000 at $88.37½.
$4000 at $88.50.
Mechanics-American Bank, 5 at $25.50.
Boatmen's Bank, 6 at $255.
Title Guaranty Trust, 10 at $72.50.
National Candy common, 25 at $14.12½.
K. C. H. Tel. small 5s, $600 at $96, $100 at $96.12½.
Brewing Association 6s, $5000 at $101.50.

Local Clearings.

	Clearings.	Balances.
Today	$10,429,321	$800,478
Last week	9,089,216	973,902
Increase, clearings, $1,340,105.		
Decrease, balances, $160,428.		

LIVESTOCK.

CATTLE—Receipts, 3500. Today's supply consisted of about 1800 native and 2200 southern cattle, principally fair to good trade and including a choice load of heifers, selling at $5.40. The market was steady to a shade lower.

SALES.

No.		Av.	Price.
10	native beef steers	1241	$5 15
21	native beef steers	1000	5 00
18	native beef steers	1266	4 95
21	native beef steers	991	4 85
8	native beef steers	968	4 65
4	native beef steers	907	4 35
2	native beef steers	875	4 25
26	native heifers	723	5 40
22	native heifers	774	5 25
26	native heifers	659	4 10
43	native heifers	505	3 85
24	native heifers	610	3 60
3	native heifers	415	3 15
14	native cows	1200	4 15
3	native cows	1223	4 05
4	native cows	1217	3 90
4	native cows	1072	3 85
2	native cows	1032	3 75
2	native cows	1055	3 65
16	native cows	959	3 50
3	native cows	893	3 40
4	native cows	902	3 25
2	native cows	970	2 80
2	native cows	850	2 50
1	native cow	980	2 25
1	native bull	1870	3 85
1	native bull	1380	3 60
1	native bull	1080	3 10
1	native bull	1140	3 10
6	native stock steers	620	4 15
12	native stock steers	363	3 85
1	native milker		52 00
1	native milker		45 00
2	native milkers, each		28 00
1	native milker		29 00
2	native milkers, each		26 25
1	native veal calf	150	6 50
8	native veal calves	135	6 25
2	native veal calves	165	6 00
1	native calf	120	5 75
1	native veal calf	190	5 50
1	native veal calf	200	5 00
1	native veal calf	150	3 25
18	Texas steers	1003	4 40
90	Texas steers	974	4 35
44	Texas steers	2043	4 35
18	Texas steers	908	4 25
25	Texas steers	892	4 25
9	Texas steers	1033	3 90

HOGS—Receipts, 6500. A fair supply of about the average quality on sale. The market opened 5c higher, but closed weak.

SALES.

No.	Av.	Price.	No.	Av.	Price.
86	212	$6 55	98	236	$6 55
81	196	6 52½	90	224	6 52½
80	178	6 50	79	201	6 50
109	178	6 50	84	188	6 47½
70	217	6 47½	103	215	6 47½
83	196	6 45	77	209	6 42½
98	140	6 42½	59	170	6 40
40	128	6 40	63	130	6 37½
72	153	6 37½	29	128	6 35
46	117	6 35	23	185	6 30
100	196	6 30	21	127	6 25
3	142	6 00	3	410	5 75
55	82	5 50	2	460	5 50

SHEEP—Receipts, 2000. There was a good demand at steady prices for the moderate number on sale.

SALES.

No.		Av.	Price.
2	spring lambs	50	$8 25
20	spring lambs	54	7 50
52	clipped lambs	77	6 65
150	clipped western lambs	71	6 60
6	wooled native sheep	108	6 25
10	wooled native sheep	127	6 00
1	buck	200	4 50
2	bucks	120	4 25

His Complaint.

From the Brooklyn Life.

"I can't say," said Uncle Josh, "that some of them elevated railroad men are so obligin' as they might be. I asked one of them to let me out at Thirty-ninth street and blamed if he didn't carry me three blocks further."

E. St. Louis News

The funeral of Mrs. Austent Knapp, 73 years old, who died Tuesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Paul Bayers at Centerville Station, was held Wednesday afternoon from the residence to Flucker's Cemetery in Millstadt.

The funeral of Mary Agnes Cooper, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cooper of 1855 Kansas avenue, who died Wednesday morning, was held Thursday morning to Calvary Cemetery.

Henry Drumbeck and Miss Gertrude Kohlers were married Wednesday at 9 o'clock high mass at St. Elisabeth's Church by Rev. Father Ahlvers, assistant rector. The attendants were Miss Annie Dumbeck and Theodore Hagerman. A wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, 561 North Twenty-third street. They will go to housekeeping at 522 North Twenty-sixth street.

Geo. W. Reiss was ordered to pay $15 temporary alimony to his wife, Geriandine Reiss, who is suing him for a divorce, by Judge Moyers in the City Court.

A. G. Schleuter, who was robbed of his pocketbook containing $100 in money and three checks while riding in a Madison street car Sunday, recovered a part of the stolen property Wednesday. The purse was found in a mail box by a carrier in making his mail collections. The thief had taken the $100, but the checks were still in the purse. The Post-office authorities gave the purse and contents to Mr. Schleuter.

A special meeting of the Young Ladies' Sodality of St. Patrick's Church, East St. Louis, will be held Friday evening at the school hall to make plans for the annual reception Sunday afternoon.

Down to the Belcher Bath for me. Fourth and Lucas avenue.

TENDENCY OF PRICES IS HARD TO DISCERN

Some Stocks Are Higher, Some Lower and Others Unchanged.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 16.—The market opened unchanged to a fraction higher today, with good buying orders prevalent in some of the specialities. Trading was only fairly active, and the undertone of the list uncertain.

The indications are that a trading market will remain with us for some time to come, owing to the fact that market conditions are bright, but the speculation confined entirely to the professionals. The public in general and especially a certain class of active speculators were badly hurt in the recent decline, and the former buying from this source is conspicuously absent.

Confidence in the outlook, however, is being gradually restored, and sentiment in the main is bullish for the long pull. London sent an irregular range of prices on our securities.

The Early News.

The Bank of England rate is unchanged at 4 per cent, but consols are lower for both money and the account. The news is not especially interesting unless the course the situation between the Senate and the White House be taken into consideration, it is certainly a strange condition of affairs and one that is not likely to help build up the reputations of any of the parties concerned. The Pennsylvania inquiry is developing some interesting facts and the stock was a weak feature today. The sterling market is easier and any further reaction is likely to start up again the importation of gold. The time money market is practically unchanged and it is likely to continue at these figures for some time to come. Call rates remain easy at 3% per cent, and the indications that this rate will be maintained until late in the summer. The banks in their operations with the Subtreasury are heavy losers on the week and the indications are that the bank statement of Saturday will make an unfavorable showing. The San Francisco banks open for business on the 23d of the month and with the restoration of confidence in Western banking circles considerable money should find its way back to New York. The market movement became irregular after the first hour's trading, and special securities advanced while others declined. National Lead was reactionary on the declaration of a dividend of 1 per cent quarterly on the common stock, as the "street" had been led to believe that the payment would be at the rate of at least 5 per cent. American Smelting and Refining sold off in sympathy, and some pressure was brought to bear on the other metal securities. A strong rise in the wheat market was also a discouraging factor, as the crop situation will have much weight in the stock market for the next few months. Commission houses sold some of the granger securities on this account, and the support in the market came almost entirely from the shorts and professionals. The short account in the market is not over extended, if the loan crowd is to be taken as an indication. Special issues, however, such as Reading and Amalgamated Copper were in moderate demand yesterday. Prices were reactionary at noon.

BUTTER, EGGS AND POULTRY.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, extra, 19@21c; firsts, 17@18c; seconds, 15@16c; dairy packed fancy, 15@16c; poor to fair, 14@15c; ladles, packed, 15@16c; choice roll more; process, 16@17c; country packed, 11c; grease, 4@5c.

EGGS—Receipts, 3040 local cases and 1750 through cases. Shipments, 3950 cases. Extras, cases included, 16½c. Strictly fresh firsts, cases included, 15½c. Current receipts, case count, cases returned, 13½c.

POULTRY—Fowls, 10½c; spring chickens, good size (1½@2½ lbs), at 25c per lb, 1 lb and under, 22c; turkeys, good dressing, 10c; ducks, 10c; geese, 5c. Dressed poultry: Turkeys, choice, 11c; fowls, 11c; ducks, 11c; geese, 5½@6c.

VEALS—5c lb for fat heretics; thin and small, 2@3c.

ONIONS—Choice to fancy red globe, 57c; yellow, 50c; new onions, Texas, 50-lb. crates at 95c for yellow, $1.10@1.15 for white; New Orleans at $2.50@2.75 per bbl. Green onions, home-grown, at 20@25c per dozen bunches.

POTATOES—Market strong; prices higher; Northern, 67@68c; Colorado rurals, 75@75c; Burbanks, 65@66c.

NEW POTATOES—White at $1.50@1.70 and Triumph $1.70 per crate, and bbls at $4@4.50 for white and $5@6.25 for Triumph.

SWEET POTATOES—Home-grown Bermuda at 50c; Nansemond red and yellow at 70@75c per bu and Queen at 50c per bu box.

TOMATOES—Florida, 6-basket crates at $2.75@2.50 for fancy.

FRUIT—APPLES—Colorado Ben Davis, $2.50@2.75 per box; russets, $3@3.25 for choice. ORANGES—California navels, $3.50@3.75.

STRAWBERRIES—Market weak; prices irregular; Mississippi sales at 80c@$1 per 6-gallon case; Tennessee at 75c@$1.15; Arkansas, 50c@$1 per 6-gallon case, according to quality. Home-grown, Missouri, 85c@$1.15 per 6-gallon case; Illinois at 75c@$1.

VEGETABLES—Whole average lots, not selections: CARROTS—Home-grown, 60@75c bu. CABBAGE—New Orleans at $1.75@2.15 per crate delivered; South Carolina, $2.10@2.25; Texas bulk at $1.50@1.65 per ton. LETTUCE—Home-grown, 50@75c per bu loose. BEETS—40c per bu. STRING BEANS—Florida, $2@2.25 per bu hamper. RADISHES—Home-grown, 15@20c for long red and white-tipped; white at 25@30c for long; 20c for round bunch. ENGLISH—Florida, 1¼-bu crate, $3.50@4.50 for large. CUCUMBERS—New Orleans at 35c per dozen, large; Florida hampers, $1.25 for culls and yellow; up to $1.50@2 for choice. ASPARAGUS—Home-grown hand bunches at 75c@$1; Illinois, 1-3 boxes at 75c@$1.

Butter and Eggs.

CHICAGO, May 17.—Butter weak; creameries, 13@19c; dairies, 13@17c. Eggs steady; at mark, cases included, 15@15½c.

Livestock by Telegraph.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 3000, including 200 Southerns; steady; native steers, $4.25@5.90; Southern steers, $3.50@5.25; Southern cows, $2.50@4.25; native cows and heifers, $2.50@5.25; stockers and feeders, $3@4.00; bulls, $3@4.25; calves, $3@6; Western fed steers, $3.75@5.35; Western fed cows, $2.25@4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; weak; bulk of sales, $6.25@6.35; heavy, $6.30@6.37½; packers, $6.25@6.37½; pigs and lights, $5.50@6.20.

Sheep—Receipts, 2000; strong; muttons, $4.50@6.25; lambs, $5@7.60; range wethers, $5.25@6.50; fed ewes, $4.75@6.

O'REILLY RESENTS FESLER CRITICISM

Civic League Secretary Censured Board in Fair Grounds Case.

Trouble has come up between the Board of Public Improvements and the Civic League, or at least between the Board of Public Improvements and Mayo Fesler, secretary of the Civic League, in regard to the proposed purchase of the old Fair Grounds by the city.

The difficulty comes from a letter written by Mr. Fesler to President O'Reilly of the Board of Public Improvements, in which the board is severely criticized for taking any action regarding the proposed purchase. It is said that such action only has the effect of delaying matters.

Mr. Fesler says that the matter must be taken up and disposed of by the Municipal Assembly, and that the action of the Board of Public Improvements in taking the plan under consideration will only delay the work of the Assembly.

Fesler's Letter Answered.

President O'Reilly has decided to overlook Fesler in the matter, but he has prepared an answer to the letter which has been sent to Henry T. Kent, President of the Civic League.

Neither Mr. Kent nor Mr. O'Reilly would give out the contents of the letter, but it is understood that it contains severe criticism of the action of Fesler.

When asked about the letter by a Post-Dispatch reporter Thursday Mr. Kent said:

"Any letters that may have been received have been turned over to the executive committee," he said, "and the committee will take action on them."

Stopped Her.

From the Detroit Free Press.

"That rich Mrs. Blank used to be a kleptomaniac, but she doesn't take things any more. What stopped her?"

"People got to calling her a plain thief."

New York Stock Quotations.

Reported daily for the Post-Dispatch by Wasserman Bros. & Co., 313 Olive street.

NEW YORK, May 17.

STOCKS.	Open	High	Low	Price at 1:45
Am. Car & Fdy.	41¼	42	41¼	41¼
do preferred	102	102	102	102
Am. Locomotive com.	38¼	39	38	38½
American Smelter	137½	137½	135½	136½
American Sugar	137½	138½	136½	137
A. C. P.	110½	111½	110	110½
C. F. I.	51¼	51¾	50¾	51¾
Consolidated Gas	138½	139½	137½	139
National Lead common	81	81¾	79¾	78
North American	97	97	96¾	96½
Northern Pacific	207½	208½	207	207½
Pacific Mail	32	32¾	32	32¾
People's Gas	92	93¼	92	93¼
Rep. I. & Steel	29	29	28¾	28¾
do preferred	102	103	101	103½
T. C. I.	41¾	41¾	41¼	41¼
United States Steel	41½	41¾	41¼	41½
do preferred	106	106¼	105¾	105½
Atchison com	89¾	90	89¾	89¾
B. & O.	107½	107¾	107¼	107¾
B. R. T.	84¾	84¾	83¾	83¾
Can. Pac.	160¾	160¾	160¼	160¼
C. & O.	58¾	58¾	58¼	58¼
C. & G. W.	19¾	20	19¾	19¾
C. M. & St. P.	169½	170	168	168¾
Colo. Southern	23¾	24	23¾	24
D. & H.	209¾	214	209¾	212
Erie com	43¾	44¼	43¾	44¼
do 2d	77¾	78	76¾	78¾
Ill. Central	172½	173	172¼	173
L. & N.	145¾	146	145	145
Met.	114	114	114	114
Mex. Cent.	23	23¼	23	23¼
M. K. & T.	33¾	33	33¾	34¼
do pfd	68¾	69¼	68¾	69
Mo. Pac.	95	95¼	94½	95
N. Y. Cent. com.	142	142	141	141
N. Y. O. & W.	51¼	51½	50¾	51
Nor. & W.	90¼	90¾	90	90
Penna.	135¼	135¾	133¾	133¾
Reading com.	130¾	132¾	130½	132
Rock Island	26¾	26¾	26¼	26¼
do preferred	48¾	48¾	48¾	48¾
St. L. & S. F. 2d.	45¾	46¾	45¾	45¾
Southern Pacific	66¼	66¼	65¾	65¾
Southern Railway	28¼	27¾	27¾	28
Union Pacific com.	130¾	131¼	129¾	130¼
Wabash common	20¾	20¾	20¼	20¾
do preferred	46¾	46¾	46¾	46¾
Wis. Central com.	25¼	25¼	25¼	25¼

Sales to noon, 392,800 shares.

FUTURE PRICES.

ST. LOUIS.

	Close Yest'day	Highest Today.	Lowest Today.	Close Today
Wh't-May	82b	83¼b	82¼b	83¼b
July	80¼b	81¾	80¼	81¾@82
Sept.	78¾@79	80	78	80
Corn-May	45¾@46	46	45	46
July	46¾@47	48	46¾	47¾
Sept.	47b	47¾@47¾	47¼	47¾
Oats-May	34b	34¾	34¼	34½
July	32¾b	33¾	33b	33¾@33¾
Sept.	31¾	33¼	32¼	32¾

NEW YORK.

Wh't-May	90b	91	90	91a
July	87½	89	87¾	89
Sept.	84¾b	86¾	83	86¼
Corn-May	56¾b	57¼	56¾	57¼b
July	54¾b	55¼	54¾	54¾b

MINNEAPOLIS.

Wh't-May	81¾a	82¾	81¾	81¾a
July	81¾@82¾	83	81¾	83¼
Sept.	78¾-79	80¼@81¼	79¾	80¼@81¼

KANSAS CITY.

Wh't-July	74¾a	75¾	74½	75¼@75¾
Sept.	72¼@74a	73¼	72¼	73¾@74
Corn-July	44¼@45a	45¾	44¾	45
Sept	44¼a	45¼	44¼	44¾b

TOLEDO.

Wh't-C'sh	80¾	81	81	81
July	81¾	83¼	82¾	84½
Sept	81¾	82¾	81¾	82¾

CHICAGO GRAIN.

Wh't-May	83½	84¾	84	84¾
July	81¼@81¾	83	81½	83 a
Sept	79¾b	81	79¾	80¾@81
Corn-May	47¾	48¼	47¾	48¼
July	47¾a	48¼	47¼	47¾a
Sept.	47½b	48¼@47¾	47¼	47¾@48
Oats-May	30¾	31¾	30¾	31¾
July	32¾@32¾	33¼	32¾	33¾
Sept	30¼@30¾	31¾@32¾	30½	31¾@32¾

CHICAGO PROVISIONS.

Pork-May	$15.55 n	$15.70 b	$15.70 b	$15.70 b
July	15.32	15.77	15.32	15.76 b
Sept	15.40 n	15.52	15.50	15.52 b
Lard-May	8.35 n	8.67	8.65	8.66 n
July	8.45 n	8.75	8.70	8.72½@8.75
Sept	8.65 b	8.90	8.80	8.87½@8.90
Ribs-May	8.55 n	8.95 n	8.95 n	8.95 n
July	8.95 b	9.10	8.95	9.05 b
Sept	8.97 n	9.10	8.97	9.07

ST. LOUIS CASH MARKET.

WHEAT.

	Yesterday.	Today.	Year ago.
No. 2 red	97 @98	94 @97½	$1.05@1.06
No. 3 red	93 @96	91 @95½	1.03½@1.03
No. 2 hard	82 @84	80 @82	1.03@1.03
No. 3 hard	78 @82½	78 @82	1.05
No. 4 hard	70 @76	70 @77	80 @93

CORN.

No. 2	50 @50¾	50 @50¾	52¼
No. 3	49 @49½	49 @49½	51¼@52
No. 2 yellow	50¾@51¼	50¾	53
No. 3 yellow	49½@50	49½	52
No. 2 white	53 @53½	52¼@53

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DEATHS.

BLANQUET—J. S. P. Blanquet, beloved husband of Pauline Blanquet (nee Kline), and dear father of Mrs. Josephine Bushemoehle (nee Blanquet), departed this life May 16, at 6:30 p. m.
Funeral from the family residence, 2338 Scott avenue, Friday, May 18, at 1:30 p. m., to St. Malachy's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

DODD—Entered into rest, Thursday, at 8 a. m., May 17, Harriet B. Dodd, 53 Vandeventer Place.
Notice of interment later. New York papers please copy.

DONNERBERG—Entered into rest on Wednesday, May 16, 1906, at 6 a. m., after a lingering illness, Margaretha Donnerberg (nee Trebbe), beloved wife of Henry Donnerberg, sister of Hermann Trebbe, mother of Emelie Hansen (nee Donnerberg), Louis and Alvina Weincke (nee Donnerberg), Louise Grempler (nee Donnerberg), at the age of 72 years and 6 months.
Funeral will take place Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, May 18, from 2918 South Jefferson avenue, to new Pickers' Cemetery.

DROHMAN—At 7:10 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, May 15, 1906, Alice M. Drohman (nee Donohue), beloved wife of George A. Drohman and mother of Robert F., George A. Jr. and John P. Drohman, aged 54 years 9 months and 20 days.
Funeral Friday, May 18, at 8:30 a. m., from family residence, 3244 North Eleventh street, to Church of Our Lady of Good Counsel, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited.
Hannibal (Mo.), Quincy (Ill.) and Des Moines (Io.) papers please copy.

ECKLAND—Hattie Eckland passed to higher life at 7:30 p. m., May 16, dear beloved wife of Emil Eckland and dear daughter of Mrs. Annie Ellis.
Funeral Friday, May 18, 2 p. m., from late residence, 2929 Locust street. Oakland, Cal. papers please copy.

GROTE—Entered, by faith in Christ, into eternal rest on Tuesday, May 15, at 11:45 a. m., after a brief illness, Wilhelmina Grote (nee Rieke), aged 71 years 10 months and 24 days, beloved wife of Frank Grote, dear mother of Augusta Scheer and grandmother of Anna Zacher and great-grandmother of Erwin Zacher.
Funeral on Friday, May 18, at 2 p. m., from the residence, 2620 South Eighteenth street, to Trinity Church, Eighth street and Lafayette avenue, thence to Concordia Cemetery. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

KNIGHT—On Wednesday, May 16, 1906, suddenly, at 6:30 a. m., Charles Knight, dearly beloved husband of Hannah Knight (nee Emery) and beloved father of Charles Edward, Louis, Elizabeth and Mrs. Mary O'Neil (nee Knight), at the age of 60 years.
Funeral will take place Friday, at 2 p. m., from residence, 2913 Laclede avenue, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

MACMILLEN—Frank W. MacMillen, Wednesday, May 16, 10:20 p. m.
Funeral Friday, May 18, at 2 o'clock, from residence of mother, 3220 Washington avenue.
Kansas City, Chicago and Phelps (N. Y.) papers please copy.

MILNE—On Tuesday, May 15, at 6:50 p. m., at family residence, 5143A Minerva avenue, Sadie Milne, beloved daughter of Jeanie (nee Peterkin) and the late John Milne, and sister of Alice May and John E. Milne.
Funeral from residence, 5143A Minerva avenue, Friday at 2:30 p. m.

MEINZ—On Wednesday, May 16, 1906, George Meinz, beloved husband of the late Bridget Meinz (nee Hickey), and our dear father and grandfather.
Funeral on Saturday, May 19, 1906, at 2 p. m., from residence of his daughter, Mrs. J. A. O'Neill, 1130A Rutger street, to St. Vincent's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.
Chicago papers please copy.

MILNE—On Tuesday, May 15, at 6:50 p. m., Sadie Milne, beloved daughter of Jeanie R. Milne nee (Peterkin) and the late John Milne and sister of Alice May and John E. Milne.
Funeral from residence, 5143A Minerva avenue, Friday at 2:30 p. m.

NIEMEYER—Entered into rest on Wednesday, May 16, at 6 o'clock p. m., Mrs. Catherine Niemeyer (nee Nierdick), beloved mother of Mrs. Mary Schroeder, Henry and John Niemeyer and mother-in-law of Rose Niemeyer (nee Groh) and Jacob Schroeder, after a lingering illness, at the age of 85 years.
The funeral will take place on Friday, May 18, at 9 o'clock, from family residence, 1215 O'Fallon street, to St. Peter's Cemetery.

PFAFF—Entered into rest, Wednesday, May 16, at 12:30 p. m., Frederick Pfaff, beloved husband of Louise Pfaff (nee Sohn), and dear father of Mrs. Louise Rolf and Mrs. Catherine Bauman, after a lingering illness, at the age of 62 years 1 month and 14 days.
The funeral will take place on Sunday, May 20, at 2 p. m., from family residence, 1724 North Thirteenth street, to St. Peter's Cemetery. Friends are respectfully invited.
Deceased was a member of Jefferson Lodge, No. 14, A. O. U. W. (7)

PIERCE—May 16, 1906, Etta Drury Pierce, widow of W. B. Pierce of Alton, at the residence of her niece, Grace Heath Baker.
Funeral service and interment at Alton, Ill., Friday, May 18, 10 o'clock a. m., at residence of Mrs. E. L. Drury.

REBSTOCK—Entered into rest suddenly, Wednesday, May 16, 1906, at 10:30 a. m., Victor Rebstock, aged 38 years 9 months and 13 days, beloved husband of Emma Rebstock (nee Toppe), and dear father of Ben L., Simon and Annie Lemin Rebstock, and dear brother of Mrs. Josephine Menzel (nee Rebstock).
Funeral from residence, 2819 Salena, Saturday, May 19, 1906, at 1:30 p. m., to SS. Peter's and Paul's Cemetery.
Friends are invited.
Hannibal (Mo.) papers please copy. (5)

RUETZ—Entered into rest, Wednesday, May 16, 1906, at 8:15 p. m., after a lingering illness, William F. Ruetz, beloved son of Clara and Christ Hornung, and brother of Louisa and Louis Ruetz, at the age of 17 years.
Funeral on Friday, May 18, 1906, at 2:30 p. m., from family residence, 3691 Oregon avenue.

SHEEHAN—On Thursday, May 17, at 12:30 a. m., Mary Ann Sheehan, beloved sister of John, Patrick, Michael, Catherine, Nellie Sheehan and Eliza Burke (nee Sheehan).
Funeral from family residence, 2305 St. Louis avenue, on Saturday, May 19, at 8:30 a. m., to Sacred Heart Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited. (5)

SCHRAY—Entered into rest Tuesday, May 15, 1906, at 4 p. m., William Joseph Schray, dearly beloved husband of Maria P. Schray (nee Weber), dear father of Emil and Jullus Schray, and our dear father-in-law and grandfather, aged 72 years 2 months and 8 days.
Funeral Friday, May 18, at 1 p. m., from residence, 4101 Pennsylvania avenue, to Evangelical St. Paul's Church, Ninth street and Lafayette avenue.

WANDLESS—Entered into rest on Wednesday, May 16, 1906, at 2:30 p. m., Harriet Wandless (nee Richards), beloved wife of Michael Wandless, darling mother of Everett, George Wandless, Tillie Wendt (nee Wandless), Minnie, Emma, Millie and Della Wandless and our dear grandmother and mother-in-law, at the age of 56 years 7 months and 3 days.
Funeral will take place from residence, 4473 Chippewa street, Friday, May 18, 1906, at 2:30 p. m., thence to New Picker's Cemetery.

DEATHS.

ROLLHAUS—On Tuesday, May 15, at midnight, George J. Rollhaus Jr., beloved son of George J. Rollhaus, aged 42 years.
Funeral from Charles F. Bergesch undertaking rooms, Sixth and Carr streets, Friday, at 2 p. m., to St. Matthew's Cemetery.

WARFIELD—Entered into rest on Wednesday, May 16, 1906, at 12:15, after o'clock Wednesday, gold chased bracelet; a lingering illness, Mary E. Warfield (nee Mitchell), beloved wife of Nathan Warfield, beloved mother of John W., George B., Bessie P., Walter J., Archie M. and Ira W. Warfield, and Rose W. Summerman (nee Warfield), age 49 years.
Funeral will take place Friday, May 18, at 1:30 p. m., from family residence, 3960 Chouteau avenue, to St. Mathew's Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

In Memoriam.

In loving remembrance of our dearly beloved mother, Margaret Matter (nee Fath), who died four years ago today:
We stood beside her bed of death,
Bowed down were we in sorrow;
We knew she would be lost to us
Upon the coming morrow.
From her pure lips the cheerful smile
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And with a hope of future bliss
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BURIAL PERMITS.

Dr. George Hoelken, 61 years, 120 S. Jackson; heart disease.
Patrick Franey, 87, 4234 John; nephritis.
Maurice Moloney, 66, 3531 Cook; phthisis.
Fred Kraemer, 53, 2506 University; tumor.
Joseph Weissnar, 73, 2716 McNair; senility.
William Sinser Jr., 2 days, 619 Morgan; pneumonia.
Mary Ann Carlisle, 86, 7039 Horner; senility.
George Rollhaus, 42, 200 Chouteau; nephritis.
William Murray, 52, 1019 N. Twelfth; nephritis.
Ellen Lyles, 38, 4274 Sacramento; tuberculosis.
James Taylor, 83, 2856 Goodfellow; diphtheria.
Richard Reniers, 53, Green Tree Hotel; uraemia.
Chester E. Mulick, 23, 4554 Garfield; peritonitis.
Nellie B. Koelbel, 30, 1829 Kennett; heart disease.
Thomas F. Austin, 27, 3614½ Shenandoah; accident.
William B. Bach, 10, 4228A Washington; sarcoma.
Adam Weidinger, 43, 3307 Manchester; angina pectoris.
Willis S. Clemments, 32, 1323 N. Vandeventer; phthisis.
George Evans Markham, 31, 1143 Hamilton; endocarditis.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Joseph Roth	2025 Carr st
Rose Doering	3658 Salena st
Harold Kauffman	230 N. Newstead av
Janet Morton	29 Vandeventer pl
Erastus Wells	4228 Lindell bl
Julia Kemp	4609 Berlin av
James Norwood	2622 Stoddard st
Prena E. Bullock	2622 Stoddard st
Alexander Shannon	1427 N. 12th st
Rebecca Matthews	1315 N. 9th st
Hamilton Love	1111 Wash st
George Atkins	1431 Lucas av
Herman Baker	1317½ Carr st
Winnie Taylor	1317½ Carr st
Edgar Dixon	1505 Pine st
Mrs. Ethel Garnett	1505 Pine st
Agnes Ward	2939 Atlantic st
Delilah Timberlake	2319 Papin st
Will Johnson	East St. Louis, Ill
Ida Spennel	East St. Louis, Ill
Jan Lacho	1910 S. 11th st
Anna Vega	1700 Carroll st
Henry Stobie	1231 Walton av
Dora L. Madsen	4217 Lexington av
John Riffilinger	217 Geyer av
Augusta Tidemann	North Venice, Ill
James S. Sprague	Elmira, N. Y
Mrs. Jessie F. Haven	Decatur, Mich
William Walsh	1124 Chambers st
Josie Perrin	2951 Manchester av
Edward Schack	Columbia, Ill
Mrs. Annie Schmidt	Columbia, Ill
William Vander Pluym	3525 N. 25th st
Anna Hansing	2104 College av
F. L. Dorr	Indiana, Pa
Inez I. Rowles	Ada, O
Louis Nudelman	814 Clinton st
Mrs. Jennie Selma Thomy	771 Beard st
John Golden	3112 S. 9th st
Nora Brown	722 Soulard st
Charles M. Folies	Pearl, Ill
Louise M. C. Boede	Hamburg, Ill
John P. Maguire	3001 Caroline st
Elizabeth V. Plunegan	4933 Arsenal st
David R. Hoffman	1735 Franklin av
Mary A. Cook	3029 Clark av
Leslie C. Cope	Indianapolis, Ind
May S. Dox	Indianapolis, Ind
Willis W. Couch	1329 S. 6th st
Nettie McAtee	3107 S. Broadway

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Frank and Emma Lightfoot, 1513 Pine; girl.
John and Estella Cleary, 805 Cardinal; girl.
Joseph and Lutie Wilger, 5337 Magnolia; girl.
John H. and Addie Smith, 3564A Vista; girl.
Felix and Blanche Poston, 5067 Spalding; girl.
James and Katie Spurling, 4453 S. Second; girl.
Henry W. and Clara Poertner, 2530 Benton; girl.
Peter and Laura Kattke, 7925 N. Broadway; girl.
Edward B. and Frieda Wagner, 2822 Magnolia; girl.
Clifton and Cora Hobbs, 3614A Evans; twins.
Henry O. and Mattie Williams, 2920 N. Twentieth; girl.
C. and Helen Whaley, Geyer; boy.
Charles and Eliza Aitch; 3527 Scott; boy.
J. J. and Virginia Russell, 6153 Ella; boy.
C. and Lizzie Reichardt, 805 S. Second; boy.
D. J. and C. E. Wellham, 6419 Derby; boy.
F. and Alma Eickenburg, 3009 Nebraska; boy.
William and Annie Carroll, 2302 Farrar; boy.
Paul and Anna Grumdal, 2704 Chippewa; boy.
P. J. and Angela Byrne, 1516A Hamilton; boy.
A. O. and Olivia Shaber, 1819A Dolman; boy.
Andrew and Linka Kadirka, 511 St. Joseph; boy.
D. B. and Rachel Sawyer, 918 N. Newstead; boy.
John C. and Marie Leighton, 6720 S. Broadway; boy.
Herman and Marie Loesche, 2321 N. Fifteenth; boy.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the American Telephone and Telegraph Co. of Missouri, for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, 26 Cortlandt street, New York City, N. Y., on Friday, May 18, 1906, at 9 o'clock a. m.
EDWARD P. MEANY, President.
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BILL—Will lady who picked up paper bill on Page bl. car Sunday morning at 9:45 and got off at Broadway, kindly return same to Howard Foreman at Post-Dispatch. Money will be identified and honesty rewarded.

BLUEPRINT—Lost, on Texas av., Lynch or Gravois to Salena, 1 set o Edisonrint plans; reward if returned. 1200 Russell.

BRACELET—Lost, in Chemical bldg. or between there and 9th and Locust, near 1 o'clock Wednesday, gold chased bracelet; prized as heirloom; liberal reward. 606 Chemical bldg.

BROOCH—Lost, large amethyst brooch, in Union Station, on Page bl. cars or Commercial av. Return to 4252 Delmar bl.; reward.

CHAIN, ETC.—Lost, gold chain and cross in Grand Theater Wednesday matinee, or between Market and Olive on Broadway. Finder return to 1413 Chestnut and receive reward.

CHARM—Lost, K. C. watch charm, on Broadway; please return to 313 Odd Fellows Bldg.

CROSS—Lost, on Grand or Cass avs., small gold cross and two baby rings. Reward if returned to 58 Sibley. 1450 N. Grand.

DIAMOND RING—Lost, inscription J. W. H. to Josie. Return 3920 Evans; reward.

DIAMOND RING—Lost, solitaire diamond ring, weighing about 3 karats, plain gold setting; finder will receive liberal reward by returning it to V. W. Garesche, 706 Wainwright Bldg.

DOG—Lost, fox terrier dog; license No. 18-308; reward. Return 601 Chestnut st.

DOG—Lost, Gordon setter; black, yellow face and paws; reward. Return 5852 Theodosia.

DOGS—Lost, May 10, one ugly yellow and one Newfoundland dog; reward. 1725 S. 7th.(76)

DOG—Lost, French poodle dog, near Jefferson av.; has double lower tusk teeth; no spook; answers to name of "Brother." Return 4471 Washington bl.

DOG—Lost, small yellow dog with white breast, answering to the name of Rex. Liberal reward if returned to 3647 Russell av.

GLOVE—Lost, one long white silk glove, between 20th and 23d on Locust; reward. Return 2314 Locust st.

HANDBAG—If the handbag lost from 4706 McPherson Saturday morning is returned to office Monmouth Inn, 4708 McPherson av., no questions will be asked.

HORSE—Lost, light bay horse; has lump on right side of body; finder notify Fred N. Koch, 4507 Swan; phone Delmar 2498L.

HORSE—Lost, strayed or stolen, dark bay horse, attached to old spring wagon; southeast corner 6th and Chestnut; reward. 605 Chestnut. T. W. Sadler. (6)

KEYS—Lost, bunch of keys on West Pine bl., between King's highway and Euclid; finder return to C. S. Pryor, clerk, Buckingham Club.

LOCKET—Lost, gold locket, set with five diamonds, lady's photo inside; finder will be suitably rewarded. 516 Chemical Bldg.

LOST—C. M.: Kindly call at 1005 N. 11th st. Cannot describe in paper.

MARE—Lost, bay mare; 12 hands high; white spot on forehead; reward. Return 614 S. 3d.

MONEY—Lost, roll of money, $120 in $10 bills; will give finder $50 reward. Return to hard-working man. Ad. T 4, Post-Dispatch.

PIN—Lost, last Sunday morning, gold pin set with ruby. Notify or return to 1217 Tyler st. and receive reward.

PURSE—Lost, knitted purse, trimmed in beads, on Delmar car or Garden. Forest 1491.

PURSE—Lost, on Olive car, 8:30 Wednesday evening, small patent leather purse; $10 gold and bills; return to 5744 Clemens and receive reward.

WATCH—Lost, gold watch, 5 stones in case, Wisconsin and Wyoming, about 11:15; gentleman who picked same up please return to avoid trouble. 107 N. Trudeau.

WATCH—Lost, lady's gold watch; enchased frene between Marion and Carroll on Broadway; liberal reward. Return to 1214 Calhoun.

WATCH—Lost, gold watch and chain, with H. Z. on face; around building 10th and Chestnut; return and receive reward. Ad. L 136, Post-Dispatch.

FOUND.

CUFF BUTTON—Found, cuff button about 3 weeks ago, near McNair and Lynch. Call Lost and Found Bureau Post-Dispatch.

RING—Found, in driveway at 3003 Lafayette av., gold ring with small diamond. Inquire 3004 Lafayette av.

SPECTACLES—Found, pair of spectacles; gold frames; on N. Broadway. Call 2831 Clark.

UMBRELLA—Found, "umbrella; owner can have same by paying for ad. Call 4108 Page bl., after 7.

WASTE AND OVERFLOW—Found, one connected waste and overflow. Apply 4216A Easton.

Employment Wanted

MALE.

APPRENTICE—Sit. wanted as apprentice on custom-made vests; has had experience. Ad. L 115, Post-Dispatch. (2)

AWNING MAN—Wants sit. to hang awnings for private party; thoroughly competent and experienced; work done quickly. J. Reeves, 318 S. 4th st.

BAKER—And pastry cook would like situation in hotel or restaurant. Ad. R 15, P.-D.(4)

BAKER—Sit. wanted by respectful young man, not afraid of work, as second hand on cakes. M. Al. Stilmacher, 2607 N. Jefferson av.

BAKER—Sit. by good allround baker on bread and cakes as first hand; day work. Ad. O 99, Post-Dispatch.

BARTENDER—Sit. as bartender; references if required. Ad. T 85, Post-Dispatch. (5)

BARTENDER—Sit. by experienced bartender; G. S., care Plumpe drug store, 8034 N. Broadway.

BELLBOY—Sit. wanted by first-class Southern dresser and bellboy; at once. Apply 2023 Walnut st.

BOOKKEEPER—Sit. by young man as bookkeeper or assistant, with two years' experience; can give reference. E. L., 8501 S. Broadway.

BOOKKEEPER—Wants small set of books, write them up three or four times a week; small salary. Ad. P 16, Post-Dispatch. (4)

BOOKKEEPER—Young man having few hours' spare time each evening wishes to hear from any firm requiring his services; would keep small set of books; state terms. Ad. T 87, Post-Dispatch. (5)

BOY—Competent boy of 14 would like a place in the country. George, 512 Wash st.

BOY—Boy wants work in drug store or at soda fountain; can give references. Phone Lindell 6716, 4258 Maryland.

BUTLER—Sit. wanted as butler in private family. E. Carr, 3134 Pine. (5)

CARPENTER—Sit. wanted by nonunion carpenter; can repair screen doors. 6109 Ridge.

CARPENTER—Sit. wanted to do repair or new work; reasonable. Ad. T 3, Post-Dis. (5)

CARPENTER—Sit. by carpenter; also painter; have tools; reasonable. Ad. T 28, P.-D. (6)

CARPENTER—Sit. wanted by carpenter; German. 4039 Gratiot.

CARPENTER—Sit. wanted by good carpenter; can repair screens. Ad. S. J. Tiefenbrunn, 6109 Ridge av.

CARPENTER—Sit. by carpenter capable of handling plans and taking charge of work. Ad. T 78, Post-Dispatch.

CARPENTER—And builder wants work; can do any kind of repairs; very reasonable. Ad. R 121, Post-Dispatch.

CARPENTER—Jobbing, repair, new work; estimates furnished; also day work. Joseph B. Young, 3133 Lucas; Bell phone Bomont 1521. (8)

CHAUFFEUR—Sit. by colored chauffeur; experienced; references. Ad. H, 2918 Pine.

CLERK—Sit. wanted to do clerical work at night; good references. Ad. T 25, Post-D.(7)

CLERK—Sit. wanted by young man 21 years; over four years' experience hardware and cutlery; best references. Frost, 1324A Boyle.

CLERK—Man wants position evenings as relief clerk; can dispense soda and sell goods of any kind, drugs, etc. Long, 3507 Franklin av. (4)

COLLECTOR—Position wanted by young man now employed; collector preferred; references furnished. Ad. R 111, Post-Dispatch. (90)

COLLECTOR—Sit. wanted as collector or driver of delivery or laundry wagon; 4 years' experience; 27 years old; married. Ad. T 37, Post-Dispatch. (6)

COOK, ETC.—Sit. wanted by experienced colored man and wife; cook and butler; willing to leave city for summer; references. 2334 Chestnut.

DRIVER—Sit. wanted by a young man with no bad habits; can give references. Ad. T 27, Post-Dispatch.

DRIVER—Sit. by a young man as driver for city delivery wagon; knows the city well. Ad. R 43, Post-Dispatch. (4)

DRUGGIST—Sit. wanted by druggist; can loan $300. Ad. R 5, Post-Dispatch.

DRUG CLERK—Single, registered, wishes situation; references. Ad. T 26, Post-Dis. (6)

ELECTRICIAN—Young man wants work, either as electrician or in engine room. Ad. G. D., 2713 De Kalb.

ENGINEER—Sit. by stationary or traction engineer of 15 years' experience; can furnish references. Ad. P 41, Post-Dis. (4)

HORTICULTURIST—Wanted, position as horticulturist or gardener, first-class; just arrived from San Francisco disaster; first-class ref.; moderate prices; sober; very capable and hard worker. Ad. P 42, P.-D.(4)

HOUSEKEEPER—Reliable woman wishes position as housekeeper and dining room maid or chambermaid. 6210 Lemon av. (92)

HOUSEKEEPER—Reliable, refined widow, 32, references, wants situation as housekeeper for widower; children and country no objection. Ad. T 125, Post-Dispatch. (92)

HOUSEKEEPER—Refined young lady would like position as housekeeper for 1 or more bachelors or home of doctor; must be of good address. Ad. L 109, P.-D.

HOUSEKEEPER—Refined and experienced housekeeper would like to keep house for gentleman or rooming house. Ad. L 4, P.-D.

HOUSEWOMAN—Middle-aged, neat, energetic woman wants position in small private family to do housework. 3031 Washington.

HOUSEGIRL—Sit. wanted by German girl, speaks little English, as housegirl; small American family paying good wages; give all particulars. Ad. L 173, Post-Dis.

LADY—Sit. wanted by young lady with 8 years' experience as office assistant; some knowledge of bookkeeping; Oliver machine. Ad. A 50, Post-Dispatch. (4)

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted to go out washing by day. Mrs. Henderson, 1547 S. 3d.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by first-class colored laundress. Sylvester Crofford, 1549 Singleton.

LAUNDRESS—Small bundle washing wanted to bring home; will go out by the day. S. Wells, 1120 N. 21st.

LAUNDRESS—Reliable laundress wants washing, rough dry or ironed, all bundles; good work; call or write, 4121 Fairfax.

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by colored laundress Monday and Wednesday; good ironer; city references. 2206 Scott av. (5)

LAUNDRESS—Sit. wanted by colored laundress to go out Monday and Tuesday; small family. 2014 11th st.

LAUNDRESS—First-class colored laundress wants steady work, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Miss E. Vincent, 1409B Linden. (4)

NURSE—Sit. by Southern girl as nurse or housework; write or call. 2511 Morgan.

NURSEGIRL—White, 16 years old, wants position for nurse only. 2710 Washington. Kinloch D1236.

NURSE—Elderly lady wishes to nurse during confinement or do light housework; reasonable. Call at 3405 Walnut.

SEAMSTRESS—First-class seamstress wants work to take home; good fit. 3140 Franklin. (5)

SEAMSTRESS—Wants dressmaking or plain sewing by the day; experienced. Address K., 1344 N. Garrison.

STENOGRAPHER—Now employed, but want to change; touch writer on Smith machine. Ad. R 63, Post-Dispatch. (4)

STENOGRAPHER—Wants permanent position; best references; 9 years with one house as stenographer and order clerk. Ad. T 86, Post-Dispatch. (80)

STENOGRAPHER—Sit. wanted by experienced lady stenographer, thoroughly expert; can give references. Ad. T 104, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—Position wanted by young lady stenographer; two years' experience; competent and reliable; references. Ad. R 58, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER—First-class stenographer desires position; 3 years' experience; can also assist with books; fine penman; Remington. 4839a West Belle pl. (4)

WOMAN—Wants work any kind; go out or home; lace curtains to order. 1710 N. Broadway.

WOMAN—Sit. wanted by widow with four children to support; any kind of work at home. Call or write me. Ad. Mrs. Dean, 3417 Olive st.

Help Wanted

MALE.

APPRENTICE BOYS Wtd.—Between ages of 14 and 18, to learn the machinery trade; only those living with parents need apply; exceptional opportunity for good boys. Ad. L 94, Post-Dispatch.

AXLE TURNERS Wtd.—Apply foot of Utah.(5)

BAKER Wtd.—First-class. 4059 Lee.

BAKER Wtd.—First-class allround baker; good wages and steady job to sober, reliable man. Call 3001 North Market st.

BARBER Wtd.—L. L. Stein, N. Venice, Ill. (5)

BARBER Wtd.—$12 guaranteed, 60 per cent. 1128 N. 8th st.

BARBER Wtd.—Good young single barber, steady job. D. C. Berg, Kirkwood, Mo.

BARBER Wtd.—For Saturday and Sunday; $5.50 guaranteed. 2943 Chouteau.

BARBER Wtd.—First-class colored barber for white trade for Saturday and Sunday, $4 guaranteed. 715 N. Leffingwell av.

BARBER Wtd.—Good barber; steady job; $13 guaranteed; 60 per cent over $20. 2603 Chouteau.

BARBER Wtd.—Barber for Saturday and Sunday. Washington Hotel, King's highway and Washington.

BELLBOY Wtd.—With references, at Hotel Beers.

BENCH HANDS Wtd.—First-class bench hands for heavy sheet metal work. St. Louis Car Co., 8000 N. Broadway. (5)

BENCH HANDS Wtd.—Two first-class bench hands. Southern Illinois Construction Co., 21st st. and St. Louis av., or East St. Louis, Ill. (4)

BENCH HAND, ETC., Wtd.—Bench hand and men to make templets on sheet metal work. St. Louis Car Co., 8000 N. Broadway. (4)

BLACKSMITHS Wtd.—Apply foot of Utah. (5)

BLACKSMITH Wtd.—On structural iron work. 800 Cass av.

BLACKSMITH Wtd.—Apply 1510 Goode av., 2 doors north of Easton.

BLACKSMITH'S HELPER Wtd.—An experienced carriage blacksmith's helper. 1406 N. 7th st.

BLACKSMITH Wtd.—Experienced blacksmith and helper. Moon Motor Car Co., Main and Cornelia.

BLACKSMITH Wtd.—Must be first-class plow workman and horseshoer; steady job for sober man; good wages. F. H. Windels, Litchfield, Ill. (7)

BOOKKEEPER Wtd.—Young man, 18 to 20 years of age, for assistant bookkeeper in large manufacturing establishment; must be thoroughly competent, reliable and trustworthy; position permanent with good opportunities; address, in own handwriting and state salary expected. Ad. A 33, P.-D. (7)

BOLT HEADERS Wtd.—For Acme machines for square head work. Apply Republic Iron & Steel Co., East St. Louis, Ill.

BOTTLER Wtd.—Immediately, expert bottler for soda factory; one who is familiar with the mixing and making of extracts; permanent position for right party; state experience; salary and references. Hollerg Mercantile Co., Mobile, Ala. (1)

BOOTBLACK Wtd.—Good bootblack; apply at C. Lenart, 1440 North Market.

BOOTBLACK Wtd.—Good colored bootblack, 821 S. 4th st.

BOY Wtd.—Boy for light office work and run errands; good penman. Ad. R 107, Post-Dis.

BOY Wtd.—Strong boy to learn pressing. Newman & Bieble, 1009 Olive. (4)

BOY Wtd.—A strong boy to drive one-horse wagon. 3110 Magnolia av.

BOY Wtd.—Errand boy at 404½ N. 10th st. call at once.

BOY Wtd.—Strong boy, 15 to 18 years old, in fur. factory. 2020 N. 15th st.

BOYS Wtd.—Five delivery boys. Maserang, Taylor and Olive.

BOY Wtd.—Blue print boy; state age and experience. Ad. A 63, Post-Dispatch.

BOYS Wtd.—Boys for factory work; 14 to 18 years old; steady employment. 112 S. 9th. (5)

BOY Wtd.—Boy over 14 years of age; light work. 1503 Pine st.

BOY Wtd.—Experienced in drug business; German. 2752 Chippewa.

BOY Wtd.—To work in dining room. Barrow Lunchroom, 1603 Franklin.

BOY Wtd.—To work in drug store; experience not necessary. 1050 N. Taylor.

BOY Wtd.—To learn printing trade. Ad. A 60, Post-Dispatch. (5)

BOY Wtd.—Good, quiet boy about 16; $5 week to start. 114 Market st.

BOY Wtd.—To shine shoes; $5 week. 204 N. 10th st.

BOYS Wtd.—St. Louis Basket and Box Co., Penrose and Wharf. (8)

BOYS Wtd.—14 years and over. Mangle Box Co., Folsom and Lawrence (8)

BOY Wtd.—Boy in grocery. Call at Louis Hencken, 2001 Market.

BOY Wtd.—16 years old, honest, willing to work and learn drug business. 2800 Olive.

BOY Wtd.—To work around house; private family; references required. 3433 Pine.

BOY Wtd.—For office work or errands; chance for advancement. Apply today. 5012 Delmar. Black.

BOY Wtd.—Good, strong boy to run freight elevator; state experience had and salary expected. Ad. A 49, Post-Dispatch. (4)

BOYS Wtd.—To learn trade. Roberts, Johnson & Rand, Mississippi and Hickory. Apply in fitting room. (4)

BOY Wtd.—Steady work; good pay. Ferguson-McKinney Suspender Factory, 1006 Locust.

BOY Wtd.—About 14 years old to work around factory. Heilmann-Miller Mfg. Co., 1408 S. 8th. (8)

BOY Wtd.—Boy 16 or 17, for office work; answer in own handwriting, stating age, experience if any. Ad. T 88, Post-Dis.

BOY, ETC., Wtd.—Strong boy or man to assist gardener. Apply at once, Fletcher's farm, Clayton rd., Price av.

BOY Wtd.—Colored boy, 16 years old, to do cleaning in drug store; references. 2800 Olive st.

BOYS Wtd.—Experienced in machine shop preferred. Sieber & Trussell Mfg. Co., 4060 Laclede av. (6)

BOY Wtd.—Neat colored boy to take care of horse and work around house. 3018 Newstead.

BOY Wtd.—Extra good appearance, between 15 and 16, not over, to learn neat, clean trade that pays well. Ad. T 23, Post-Dis. (5)

BOYS Wtd.—To learn trade. Stromberg, Kraus & Co., s. e. corner 13th and Chestnut sts. (4)

BOYS Wtd.—To brush edges, heel linkers and boys to learn. Apply Phil McHugh, Home Shake plant, Brown Shoe Co., 12th and Russell.

BOY Wtd.—Bright boy, from 15 to 18 years of age, who has had some experience in the manufacturing business. Monarch Waist Co., 420 N. 9th st.

BRICK HANDLERS Wtd.—Experienced brick handlers. Apply Hydraulic Press Brick Co., Manchester, west of King's highway. (4)

BRICKLAYER Wtd.—A bricklayer to build manholes at Kirkwood, Mo. Apply 620 Chestnut st., room 23. (5)

BROOM MAKER Wtd.—To sew brooms. 1306 N. 21st.

BUSHELMAN Wtd.—At once; 919 Olive st., 2d floor, room 1.

BUSHELMAN Wtd.—For custom work. 215 N. 8th st.

CABINET MAKERS Wtd.—2622 De Kalb.

CABINET MAKERS Wtd.—Two good coach cabinet makers; steady work; apply in person. American Car and Foundry Co., St. Charles, Mo. (6)

CARPENTERS Wtd.—To do couple days' work. 6118 Page bl.

CARPENTER Wtd.—To put on new roof. Apply 4516 Cook av., 8 a. m. sharp Friday.

CARPENTER Wtd.—General jobber at 920 N. 9th st. (5)

CARPENTERS Wtd.—Two carpenters. Call 4157 McPherson av.

CARPENTERS, ETC., Wtd.—Carpenters and car builders. Apply American Car and Foundry Co., Madison, Ill. (8)

CARPENTERS Wtd.—First-class nonunion carpenters; must be hustlers; job near 4536 Easton av. (4)

CARBUILDERS Wtd.—Experienced freight car builders. Apply Supt. Western Steel Car and Foundry

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

HOUSEHOLD HELP.
7c a Line.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; small family. 5148 Page.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework. 5033 Minerva av. (1)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl or middle-aged woman for light housework. Apply 1011 Howard.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—In small apartment; no washing; good wages. 4319 Lindell.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; family of three. 1424 Hickory st. (5)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Competent white housegirl; references. 4136 Delmar bl. (4)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Young girl to assist with housework and care for children. 752 Enclid.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework; family of three. Call 1808 Cora av. (5)

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl to assist in housework; small family. 3448 Chippewa.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Girl for general housework. 1515 Pennsylvania av., East St. Louis.

HOUSEGIRL Wtd.—Good, plain cook for day nursery, 9th and Carr, 9th st. entrance.

COOK Wtd.—Good cook, wages $1 per day, room and board to cook for about 20 people. Call Locust Inn, 2811 Locust st. (5)

DINING ROOM GIRL Wtd.—At once. 1817 Park av.

DINING ROOM GIRL Wtd.—Good. 1223 S. Broadway.

DINING ROOM GIRL Wtd.—Hotel Bement, 1402 N. Broadway.

DISHWASHERS Wtd.—Two experienced dishwashers. Apply 110 N. 21st st.

GIRLS Wtd.—No. 4 S. Main st. (4)

GIRL Wtd.—Girl in restaurant; good wages; room if wanted. 4958 Delmar bl.

GIRLS Wtd.—For factory work; steady employment; good wages. 112 S. 9th. (5)

GIRLS Wtd.—Experienced girls for putting up samples. 512 Elm st.

GIRL Wtd.—Neat, bright girl to work in retail bakery. Call 2837 Cass av. (4)

GIRLS Wtd.—For artificial flower making. 614 Locust st.

GIRLS Wtd.—14 to 16, to do light work in factory. Room No. 1, 415 Locust.

GIRLS Wtd.—Two girls; one must understand cooking, for restaurant. 804 S. 9th.

GIRLS Wtd.—Fifteen girls at the Fulton Bag and Burlap Co., 612–8. 7th st. (8)

GIRLS Wtd.—Over 14 years, to pick nuts. Apply 618 N. 2d st. (5)

GIRLS Wtd.—For factory work; steady employment; good wages. Standard Mills, 1026 S. 11th st. (5)

GIRLS Wtd.—To learn. Apply Roberts, Johnson & Rand, Mississippi and Hickory. Apply in fitting room. (4)

GIRLS Wtd.—Six girls, 14 years and older; clean work; experience not necessary. Inland Type Foundry, 12th and Locust.

GIRLS Wtd.—14 or 15 years of age for light factory work. A. Geisel Mfg. Co., 2d and Clark. (5)

GIRLS Wtd.—To fold underwear and iron plain clothes; wages $1 per day at start. Lange Laundry Co., 2004 S. Jefferson.

GIRLS Wtd.—Experienced pressbands in can factory. Apply Messam Can Co., Branch and Hall.

GIRLS Wtd.—For factory work; steady employment; good wages. Southern Mills, 1428 S. 9th st.

GIRL Wtd.—Good intelligent girl to learn marking and assorting; wages 90c per day at start. Lange Laundry Co., 2004 S. Jefferson.

LADIES wishing light employment call at 4258 Delmar bl. Mrs. Pollard. (5)

LADIES Wtd.—To advertise baking powder; $10 per week and carfare. 406 Market, room 220.

LADIES Wtd.—To work on pillow tops, panels, etc.; the most fascinating work ever introduced; easily learned. Call room 647 Century Bldg.

LADIES Wtd.—Young ladies between 16 and 20 years of age to become telephone operators; good sight and hearing necessary; 5 ft. 4 in. in height and taller preferred; permanent positions to desirable persons. Ad. A 156, Post-Dispatch. (8)

LADY Wtd.—Young lady to do clerical and general office work; salary $7. Ad. T 21, Post-Dispatch.

MANICURIST Wtd.—Lady manicurist, Century Bldg. Barber Shop. Guaranteed $10 a week.

MACHINE GIRLS Wtd.—Experienced machine girls and basters on vests. 621 Lynch st.

NURSE Wtd.—Good nurse at day nursery, 9th and Carr sts.; 9th st. entrance.

OPERATORS Wtd.—Experienced operators on ladies' shirt waists and infants' wear; good salary. 1206 Franklin av.

OPERATORS Wtd.—Experienced operators on suspenders; steady work y'r ar'nnd. Apply Ferguson-McKinney Suspender Factory, 1006 Locust. (8)

OPERATORS Wtd.—100 experienced operators on pants, overalls and duck coats. Ely & Walker overall factory, southwest corner 19th and Morgan. (4)

OVERALL MAKERS Wtd.—Experienced overall makers; steady work; highest pay. 420 N. 9th st., Sexton Bros. (4)

SALESLADY Wtd.—Thoroughly experienced saleslady. Banner store, Vandeventer and Olive.

SCRUBWOMAN Wtd.—Apply at 5:30 p. m. at Caesar's Cafe, 6th and Olive.

SEAMSTRESS Wtd.—To assist dressmaker, at once. 3845A Windsor pl.

Shirtmakers Wanted.

50 experienced hands on all parts; also girls to learn; entire new plant of latest improved machinery; best lighted and ventilated factory in the city; steady work and good pay.

NEW ERA SHIRT FACTORY.
905-7 Lucas av. (5)

SKIRT TRIMMER Wtd.—Experienced skirt trimmer, at once. Apply at MacDonald Mfg. Co., 706 N. 11th st. (4)

SKIRTMAKERS Wtd.—First-class skirtmakers, immediately. A. Bertram Cady Co., room 310, Third National Bank Bldg., 421 Olive st.

SKIRT OPERATORS Wtd.—50 experienced operators; steady work; highest pay to competent hands. Apply Ferguson-McKinney Skirt Factory, 1006 Locust st., 5th floor. (8)

STENOGRAPHER Wtd.—Female stenographer; speedy and correct, and general office work; East St. Louis; $10 weekly; particulars. Ad. T 10, Post-Dispatch.

STENOGRAPHER Wtd.—Competent young lady stenographer to substitute until June 1; Remington operator; address in own handwriting and state salary expected. Ad. A 58, Post-Dispatch. (7)

SUSPENDER OPERATOR Wtd.—Steady work, good pay. Hurst-Zucker Neckwear Co., 823 Washington av. (7)

WAITRESS Wtd.—Experienced arm waitress, 517 St. Charles st.

WAITRESS Wtd.—Good arm waitress. 2310 Olive st.

WAITRESS Wtd.—Experienced waitress; short watch. Criterion Restaurant, 408 Morgan st.

WAITRESSES Wtd.—One or two days a week; short distance in country. Ad. T 17, P.-D.

WAITRESS Wtd.—From 11 to 4. 606 Washington.

WAITRESSES Wtd.—2 good waitresses, to start new restaurant. Central Cafe, 503 N. 18th.

WAITRESSES Wtd.—Two waitresses, Valley Park Hotel, Valley Park, Mo.; near St. Louis.

WASHERWOMEN Wtd.—Two washerwomen to wash lace curtains, at once. 3007 Olive st.

WASHERWOMAN Wtd.—Experienced; 1 day every week; steady place. 4060 McPherson.

WOMAN Wtd.—To work in rooming house; no objection to little child. 1913 Morgan.

WOMAN Wtd.—To help in kitchen. 2722 Franklin.

WOMAN Wtd.—German woman to wash and clean. 3617 St. Louis av.

WOMAN Wtd.—Woman to do cleaning and scrubbing. Room 4, 404½ N. 10th st.

WOMAN Wtd.—Kitchen woman, at 220 N. 7th st.

WOMAN Wtd.—Colored woman with laundry experience for roustabout, hand laundry. 204 N. Garrison.

WOMEN Wtd.—To learn to make custom shirts; power machines; will pay while learning. Geo. Diel & Bros., 9th and Olive.

WOMEN Wtd.—To learn to make fine custom shirts; power machines; will pay while learning. Geo. Diel & Bros., 9th and Olive.

LAUNDRY HELP WANTED.

IRONER Wtd.—Plain clothes ironer. Colonial Laundry Co., 4020 Olive.

IRONERS Wtd.—Ladies' clothes ironers. Empire Laundry Co., Bell and Leonard.

IRONERS Wtd.—Shirt-waist and lady clothes ironers; also mangle girls. Munger's Laundry, 2310 Washington.

IRONER Wtd.—An experienced shirt waist ironer; good wages. Standard Laundry Co., 7110 S. Broadway.

IRONERS, ETC. Wtd.—4 experienced shirt ironers and also girls to learn on men's work; good pay while learning. Ferguson-McKinney Laundry, 1020 N. 18th st. (5)

LAUNDRY HELP Wtd.—Experienced bosom ironers and cuffers. Superior Laundry Co., 1747 S. 18th st.

LAUNDRY HELP Wtd.—Mangle girls and shirt waist ironers. Excelsior Laundry, 1513 Wall bl.

LAUNDRY HELP Wtd.—Bosom ironer and girls to learn. Gregory Laundry, 4960 Suburban tracks.

LAUNDRY HELP Wtd.—Markers on bundle work; also ladies' clothes ironers. Grand Laundry, 3044 Lawton av. (4)

SHOEWORKERS WANTED.

LINING MAKERS Wtd.—And table girls, Werthemer-Swarts Shoe Co. (5)

TEEER, ETC. Wtd.—Experienced treer and sock liners on ladies' work. Peters Shoe Co., factory No. 1, Jefferson and St. Louis.

SOCKLINER Wtd.—Experienced sockliner, Johansen Bros. Shoe Co., 925 N. 11th.

TABLE GIRLS, ETC. Wtd.—Table girls and toppstitchers in the American Gentleman factory; lining maker and inexperienced girls in the Security factory. Hamilton-Brown, 21st and Locust. (5)

Rooms and Board

ROOMS FOR RENT—CITY.

ADAMS, 2231—Two nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping; bath and all convs. (6)

ALLEN, 2008—Four rooms and bath, chandeliers and window shades.

ARMSTRONG, 1127—Two connecting, newly papered furnished rooms for housekeeping. (4)

BELL, 3433—Two beautiful southern rooms for light housekeeping, with use of kitchen; modern.

BLAIR, 1512—Second floor; furnished complete for housework; $15; small family. (1)

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BROADWAY, 2713 N.—Nicely furnished rooms for gentlemen or light housekeeping. (6)

BROADWAY, 107 N.—Fine rooms, service; 25c and 50c per day; low weekly rates. (8)

BROADWAY, 1521 S.—Two vacant rooms, rear; water. Inquire doctor's office. (4)

BROADWAY, 2823 N.—Furnished room for light housekeeping.

BROADWAY, 1521 S.—Two vacant rooms, rear; water. Inquire Dr. Morgner's dispensary.

CARDINAL, 15 N.—Two nicely finished basement rooms, furnished for light housekeeping, $2.50; white.

CAROLINE, 2708—Two rooms, unfurnished, 2d floor, $7.50.

CARR, 1835—Nicely furnished rooms, gentlemen or housekeeping; all conveniences.

CASS, 3041—Nicely furnished hall room, gentlemen only; bath, gas; phone Lindell 901.

CASS, 2618—Nicely furnished front room for light housekeeping.

CASS, 2131—Neatly furnished single front room; all conveniences.

CATES, 5501—Neatly furnished rooms, first-class, with bath; corner house; southern exposure; reasonable; large porch and shade. (4)

CHANNING, 616 N.—1 or 2 rooms, furnished for housekeeping; gas stove, refrigerator.

CHOUTEAU, 1419—Furnished room for light housekeeping; gas, bath, laundry, phone.

CHOUTEAU, 1221—Housekeeping and sleeping rooms; desirable and clean; $2; laundry.

CHOUTEAU, 1315—Rooms furnished for housekeeping or gentlemen; rent very reasonable.

CHOUTEAU, 3144—Two beautiful rooms for housekeeping; gas; $3.50.

CHOUTEAU, 1215—Nicely furnished connecting rooms for housekeeping, $3 week; single room, $2.25 week.

CHOUTEAU, 1103-1112—Large front room for housekeeping; bath, laundry; $2.75; also connecting rooms; reasonable.

CHOUTEAU, 1106A—Clean, nicely furnished small or large rooms, $1.25, $1.50 per week. (6)

CLEMENS, 3725—Handsomely furnished rooms for gentlemen; private family; ebautiful location; modern conveniences; reasonable. (4)

COMPTON, 1109 N.—Large parlor, suitable for gentlemen or married couple; $2.50 week.

COOK, 3725—Two front rooms, modern conveniences; so. ex.; private family.

COOK, 4068—Nicely furnished second-story front room; also hall room; reasonable.

COOK, 3991—Large front room for light housekeeping; gas, bath; all convs.

COOK, 3967—2 or more unfurnished rooms, with bath.

DAYTON, 2927—Nicely furnished front and connecting rooms; very comfortable; gas, bath.

DELMAR BL., 4118—Nicely furnished rooms; first-class board; Bell phone.

DELMAR BL., 4520—Nicely furnished, large, cool 2d-story front room; private family; all conveniences.

DELMAR BL., 4018—Will let two beautifully furnished south front connecting rooms; one large; high ceiling; telephone, parlor, piano privileges; reasonable.

DILLON, 1021—Newly furnished housekeeping and connecting rooms; very fine and reas.(5)

EASTON, 4084—Furnished rooms for housekeeping for couple with references.

EASTON, 3019—Two nice, clean rooms for housekeeping; gas stove; rent reasonable. (6)

EASTON, 3040—Large room for housekeeping; southern exposure; very reasonable.

EASTON, 3019—Two nice connecting rooms for housekeeping; second floor; gas stove; reas.

EASTON, 2950—Nearly furnished room; southern exposure; suitable for light housekeeping; $1.75 week.

EASTON, 3619—Two adjoining rooms, furnished for housekeeping; rent reasonable; lady in one family.

EIGHTEENTH, 705 N.—Large front room, hot bath, gentlemen or housekeeping; hall room.

EIGHTEENTH, 718 N.—Second-story front and connecting rooms for housekeeping; small rooms for one, $1 per week. (6)

EIGHTEENTH, 1123 N.—Newly papered and furnished second-story front rooms; good neighborhood; quiet family.

EIGHTEENTH, 1127 N.—Newly papered and furnished second-story front rooms, for gentlemen or housekeeping. (5)

ELLIOT, 1351—Nicely furnished room in private family; housekeeping; $2.

ETZEL, 6322—Three nice, light rooms; water and gas; $12.

EUCLID, 2135-3 rooms; bath, laundry; 1st floor; $15. (5)

FAIRMOUNT, 5130—Nicely furnished front and back room, good table.

FIFTEENTH, 10 N.—Furnished rooms, $1 week up.

FINNEY, 3825—Three large connecting completely furnished rooms for housekeeping. (7)

FINNEY, 3653—Two nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping; use of telephone.

FINNEY, 4111—Second-floor front, southern exposure; also other nicely furnished rooms, modern conveniences.

FINNEY, 4137—Two well furnished rooms for married couple, complete for housekeeping; reasonable.

FINNEY, 3827—Furnished front rooms; separate beds; gentlemen or housekeeping; gas furnished; reasonable. (4)

FOREST PARK BL., 3958—Three cool, well-furnished third-floor rooms, complete for housekeeping; gas, gas range, bath, hot, so. ex.; couple without children, $3.50; snap. (7th)

FRANKLIN, 2802—Neatly furnished front room; rent reasonable. (6)

FRANKLIN, 1536—Rooms for gentlemen; also light housekeeping; reasonable.

FRANKLIN, 3404—Three unfurnished rooms; references required.

FRANKLIN, 3141—Nicely furnished room for light housekeeping; bath; reas. (90)

FRANKLIN, 3316—Nicely furnished rooms; gentlemen only.

FRANKLIN, 3020A—Furnished hall room; gas and bath; $1.50 per week. (5)

FRANKLIN, 1300—Single room and housekeeping rooms; gas and bath. (4)

GAMBLE, 2940—Furnished front room; bath, gas; terms reasonable. (4)

GAMBLE, 2628—Nicely furnished second and third-story front rooms, light housekeeping; corner house.

GARRISON, 930 N.—Nicely furnished rooms; southern exposure; bath and gas; reas. (6)

GARRISON, 826 S.—Three or four unfurnished large rooms; gas, bath, screens; newly decorated; reasonable. (62)

GARRISON, 13 N.—Connecting first floor front rooms, furnished for light housekeeping; gas, bath.

GARRISON, 1014 N.—Back parlor, southern exposure; will furnish for housekeeping; $2 per week; hallroom, bath, $1 per week.

GARRISON, 1015A N.—Large front room, furnished; also kitchen and adjoining room, housekeeping or rooming; gas, bath.

GARRISON, 618A N.—Nicely furnished room; 2 double beds; also hall room; all convs. (5)

GEYER, 2735—Two furnished third-floor rooms; parlor; southern exposure; reasonable; telephone; call Sunday or evenings (50)

GRAND, 2539 N.—Neatly furnished room; private family; large lawn; telephone; terms reasonable. (1)

GRATIOT, 522—Three rooms, 2d floor, $9; key 527, or 1113 Chestnut st. (4)

GRATTAN, 1022A—Two unfurnished front rooms.

HAMILTON, 1117—Pleasant rooms for summer; southern exposure; private family; desirable neighborhood; Page and Olive cars. (5)

HENRIETTA, 3000—Large furnished front rooms, all conveniences; three car lines. (6)

HICKORY, 1222—One or two nicely furnished rooms, light housekeeping; reasonable.

KENNETT PL., 1800—Three furnished connecting rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences.

KING'S HIGHWAY, 1008A N.—Nicely furnished room for gentlemen or couple. (4)

LACLEDE, 3687—Newly furnished front room; all conveniences; so. ex. (4)

LACLEDE, 3509—Neatly furnished rooms; all conveniences.

LACLEDE, 3416—Hall room, gentlemen light housekeeping; so. ex.

LACLEDE, 3329—Two nice unfurnished rooms, $11 per month; third floor; no children.

LACLEDE, 3520—Newly furnished rooms, single or en suite; all conveniences and home comforts; reasonable.

LACLEDE, 3325—Completely furnished housekeeping rooms; bath; Welsbach lights; fine location; $2 week; clean. (5)

LACLEDE, 2911—Second-floor furnished housekeeping or sleeping rooms, $2 week; laundry, bath.

LACLEDE, 3646 (west of Grand)—Big lawn, cool; select neighborhood; front parlor and other lovely rooms; first-class family; Lindell 2270.

LACLEDE, 3333—Nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping; also sleeping rooms; large closets; southern exposure; porcelain bath, gas; no children. (7)

LACLEDE, 4350—Refined family desires gentlemen roomers; all home comforts; convenient to Suburban and Transit cars; phone L 692. (5)

LAWTON, 3043—Two rooms, first floor; so. ex.; housekeeping or sleeping; phone 2046A.

LAWTON AV., 3443—2 connecting light housekeeping rooms; $4, with gas.

LAWTON, 3533—Two large connecting front rooms, furnished for housekeeping; all convs.

LAWTON, 2831—Furnished rooms for housekeeping; $2, $2.25, $2.50 week, or two gents.

LAWTON, 3435—Neatly furnished room for one or more; all conveniences; reasonable.

LAWTON, 3305—Two large front furnished rooms, newly decorated; housekeeping; modern; private family.

LAWTON, 2834—Two nice, clean, furnished housekeeping rooms; gas, bath, laundry, phone.

LAWTON, 3012—Front room, first or second floor, for light housekeeping; gas for cooking.

LINDELL, 3571—Furnished second-story front, with small kitchen; rooms for gents, $1 week.

LOCUST, 3147—Neatly furnished rooms, $2.50 per week; board if desired; hot bath. (5)

LOCUST, 2936—Furnished rooms, $2.25 up; bath and gas.

LOCUST, 3000—Seven rooms, housekeeping; first-class; one room or more; bath, furnished or unfurnished.

LOCUST, 2918—Nice, large furnished room with privilege of housekeeping; all convs.

LOCUST, 2208—Front parlor, suitable for 2 or 3 gentlemen; all conveniences. (4)

LOCUST, 1414—Furnished 2d-story hall front room; reasonable rent. (5)

LOCUST, 3146—Newly furnished large third-floor front room; $2.50 weekly; housekeeping if desired.

LOCUST, 2307—Very desirable rooms; southern exposure; all light; good location; walking distance; phone. (7)

LOCUST, 2614—Connecting rooms; newly papered; furnished for light housekeeping; gas range; reasonable.

LOCUST, 3023—Choice, newly furnished rooms; nice home; very reasonable; large yard.

LUCAS, 3413—Unfurnished basement room.

LUCAS, 3206—Three rooms for housekeeping; furnished or unfurnished.

LUCAS, 3018—Furnished 2d-floor front; other rooms; bath, gas, free phone. (1)

LUCAS, 3429—Furnished connecting parlors, first floor; nice, cool rooms on second floor, $1.50 and up. (5)

LUCAS, 3319—Two large, nicely furnished connecting rooms for housekeeping; gas range; reasonable; private. (4)

LUCAS, 2916—Large neatly furnished room, fully equipped for housekeeping; all conveniences.

LUCAS, 3916—Handsomely furnished front room for couple or two gentlemen; excellent table; all conveniences; reasonable.

LUCAS, 2847—Elegantly furnished front room, Southern exposure; reasonable; hot water bath.

LUCAS, 3225—Two desirable rooms, complete housekeeping; all conveniences; $2.50 per week; phone.

LUCAS, 3012A—Pleasant room, with all conveniences; central location; for gentlemen only; private family.

LUCKY, 3722A—Three nice rooms, second floor, $10.50. Key first floor or 1113 Chestnut st.

McPHERSON, 4240—Furnished rooms for gentlemen. Bell phone.

McPHERSON, 4632—Beautiful southern room; second floor; in private family; West End.

MARKET, 2213—Furnished room for gentlemen.

MARKET, 1300—Three connecting furnished rooms, complete for light housekeeping; reasonable family.

MARYLAND, 4122—Single rooms for gentlemen; $1.50, $2.50; hot bath, telephone; modern home.

MARYLAND, 4122—To adults, three or four completely furnished housekeeping rooms; gas, telephone, modern house. (5)

MICHIGAN, 1717—Two furnished rooms, single or en suite; breakfast optional. (5)

MORGAN, 4063—Two nice unfurnished rooms; modern conveniences; piano, to suit you.

MORGAN, 3435—Second-story front and rear rooms; housekeeping; both phones; no children. (4)

MORGAN, 3041—Beautifully furnished second-story front room; so. ex.; first-class accommodations.

MORGAN, 4442—Pleasant large rooms for gentlemen; newly furnished; bath; private family.

MORGAN, 3328—Pleasant back rooms; 1st floor; light and conveniences; to quiet, reliable party.

MORGAN, 4483—Cool, piesant rooms, $8 up; gentlemen, Forest 2176; Olive, Suburban, Delmar cars.

NORTH PARK PL., 1410—Two connecting rooms, completely furnished; light housekeeping; also unfurnished rooms. (4)

NORTH MARKET, 4042A—Nicely furnished front room in private family; all conveniences; $1.50 per week. (6)

O'FALLON, 2218–3 choice rooms, $7 month, up or down-stairs; rear. (6)

OLIVE, 3699G—Newly furnished second floor rooms; all conveniences; reasonable.

OLIVE, 2205—Newly furnished rooms, hot and cold bath; $2 and up.

OLIVE, 2828—Nice large front room for 2 gentlemen. Also hall room.

OLIVE, 3650—Furnished room for 2 gentlemen; $1 each; or light housekeeping.

OLIVE, 2814—3 cool, cheerful, 2d-floor rooms, 1 furnished, 2 unfurnished, $5. (61x)

OLIVE, 3430—Three large unfurnished rooms, third floor; $8 month.

OLIVE, 4000A—Two neatly furnished rooms; gas, bath; light and cool; reasonable. (4)

OLIVE, 3119—3 large rooms, 1st floor, furnished housekeeping, $6; second-floor front cheap.

OLIVE, 2311—Beautiful rooms for light housekeeping; also other rooms; Southern exposure; also basement.

OLIVE, 2839—Clean, airy rooms; southern exposure; lovely lawn; hall room, $1.50; very reasonable. (4)

OLIVE, 3528—Furnished rooms; all conveniences; reasonable; private family. (4)

OLIVE, 4161—$2.50 week; front room; southern exposure; gas, bath; also small room, reasonable. (6)

OLIVE, 2825—Very desirable connecting rooms, furnished for housekeeping; 3d-floor rooms, $1.50.

OLIVE, 4238A—Two elegantly furnished rooms; hot bath, electric lights and fans; reasonable. (89)

OLIVE, 3012½—2 nice large rooms, complete for housekeeping; hot bath and gas; use of nice yard; also nice rooms for sleeping; private family.

OSAGE, 2209—Two good basement rooms, $5. 3940 Virginia, Osage. 2 rooms and kitchen, $7. H. J. Krembs, 622 Park av. (5)

OUTSIDE rooms at 200 N. Jefferson av.; $2.50 to $7 per week; free baths. (8)

PAGE, 3538—Rooms for light housekeeping.

PAGE, 4317—Nice cool front room; modern; private family; reasonable.

PAGE, 3629—Three unfurnished rooms and bath; clean.

PAGE BL., 4542A—One cool, nicely furnished room; all conveniences; no other roomers; $2.50 per week.

PAGE BL., 4714—Two furnished rooms, light housekeeping; all conveniences; gas, so. ex.; no children.

PAGE BL., 4435—Two unfurnished second-story front rooms for light housekeeping; four furnished rooms for light housekeeping; so. ex.; piano.

PAPIN, 1833—Three large unfurnished rooms; 1st floor; inquire within.

PAPIN, 1554—Neatly furnished rooms; gents or housekeeping; southern exposure.

PAPIN, 1821—Rooms for light housekeeping; single or double; nice porch and lawn.

PENN, 2010—Five rooms.

PENDLETON, 1015A—Neatly furnished back parlor; southern exposure; reasonable; telephone; call Sunday or evenings (50)

PINE, 3416—Nicely furnished 2d-floor front room; gentlemen or couple; phone; reas. (6)

PINE, 3006—2d-story front; southern exposure; for 2 or 3 gentlemen. (4)

PINE, 1308—Newly furnished rooms with hot bath, $1.25 up.

PINE, 3003—Two connecting parlors; suitable for gentlemen or housekeeping.

PINE, 3520—Connecting parlors; other rooms for housekeeping; gas, bath; all conveniences.

PINE, 2700—Cool rooms, first and second floor, corner; separate beds; conveniences.

PINE, 3401—Elegantly furnished room; private family; all conveniences; phone Lindell 630.

PINE, 2340—Furnished and unfurnished rooms, all cool; $1.50 up; phone; travelers accommodated; express. (7)

PINE, 2731—Large second-story front room; light housekeeping or gentlemen; also unfurnished room.

PINE, 3234—Neatly furnished, cool rooms; large yard, gas, bath; home comforts; prices reasonable.

PINE, 2636-2638—Bright, cool, sunny rooms, first, second or third floors, elegant suite of parlors, adjoining rooms with kitchen, $2.25 to $4.50; laundry; complete for housekeeping.

PINE, 3207—Elegantly furnished front room, south and east exposures; suitable for two gentlemen; separate beds; hot bath. Tele. phone C1122. (2)

PINE, 3004—Neatly furnished rooms; single or connecting; by week or month; both phones; electric light, bath, gas; moderate terms.

RAUSCHENBACH, 2315—2d-floor; 2 rooms and kitchen; rent $11. (5)

ROOM—Nicely furnished room for gentlemen; private family; central West End. Ad. L 124, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM—Nicely furnished front room in home of widow. Phone Beaumont 1111. (4)

ROOM—Nicely furnished room for couple or single roomer. Ad. R 98, Post-Dis. (4)

ROOMS—Furnished and unfurnished. Franklin Hotel, Westminster and Sarah.

PINE, 3435—Nicely furnished clean rooms, single or en suite; cooking, gas, screens, icebox; hot bath, telephone; quiet; respectable; reas. (4)

ROOMS—Southern-exposured front rooms for 4 gentlemen, $5 per week; phone Lindell 80.

ROOMS—2d-story front; southern exposure; private; modern; West End. Ad. L 51, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS—N. Grand and Laclede; nicely furnished, cool, pleasant rooms; southern exposure; references. (3)

ROOMS—Two front rooms; southern and eastern exposures; private family; centrally located; references and conveniences. Ad. S 65, Post-Dispatch. (5)

ROOM—Large colonial room; 3 windows; southern exposure; 2d story; private family; convenient to Grand, Page and Suburban cars. Bomont 435.

ROOMS—Large second-story front rooms, southern and eastern exposures, suitable for couple of two gents; all conveniences; central; private family. Kinloch 707C. (4)

RUSSELL, 3004—Furnished front or back parlor, good porcelain bath, fine neighborhood; prefer two gentlemen; Park car.

ST. ANGE, 1310—Two neatly furnished rooms for light housekeeping; respectable people. (7)

SCHOOL, 3424—Two nice rooms; furnished; all conveniences; hot and cold water.

SHERIDAN, 3136—Two unfurnished rooms on second floor; also one parlor room; convs. (4)

SIDNEY, 2002A—Furnished rooms. (4)

SIXTEENTH, 1439 N.—Two connecting completely furnished housekeeping rooms, with water, refrigerator, stove, etc.; reasonable to respectable couple. (5)

SIXTH, 419 N.—Rooms for gentlemen; steam, electricity; hot-water baths; $2 week up. (92)

STODDARD, 2812—Three nice unfurnished rooms, 2d floor; bath and gas.

STODDARD, 2715A—Nicely furnished large room; gas and bath; reasonable. (5)

THERESA, 500 N.—Newly furnished, nice, clean rooms; no better anywhere; convenient to Olive and Washington cars. (5)

THOMAS, 2615—Nicely furnished front or back rooms; bath; reasonable; pri. fam. (6)

TWELFTH, 1031 S.—Nicely furnished room for housekeeping; $2.25 per week.

TWELFTH, 2306 S.—Room, complete for housekeeping; rear building; southern exposure; phone 1283 Gray. (5)

TWENTIETH, 922 N.—Nicely furnished front room in private family; light housekeeping; bath.

TWENTY-FIRST, 1428 N.—Three rooms, 1634 Wash.

VANDEVENTER, 5184 N.—Vandeventer rooms; modern conveniences; Olive cars; reasonable.

VERNON, 4630A—Furnished front rooms with housekeeping privileges; so. ex.; phone.

VICTOR, 2817—Furnished room, one or two gentlemen; rent reasonable; with bath privilege.

WASH, 2342—Furnished rooms for gentlemen. (7)

WASH, 2817—7 rooms, first floor, and good basement, $18.

WASH, 1711—Front rooms for light housekeeping; gas stove, ice chest and laundry.

WASH, 1828—Connecting rooms for housekeeping; other rooms; reasonable.

WASH, 1950—Nicely furnished front rooms for light housekeeping or suits.

WASHINGTON, 3223—Nearly furnished rooms, one hall room; phone.

WASHINGTON, 3209—Nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping; all conveniences; phone.

WASHINGTON, 2902—Nicely furnished second-story front room, private family; all conveniences; Bell phone Forest 2222; Delmar, Taylor, Suburban cars. (7)

WASHINGTON, 1523—Connecting rooms for housekeeping; other rooms, $1.50 up.

WASHINGTON, 4804—Furnished room with southern exposure, in private family.

WASHINGTON, 1709A—Two neatly furnished rooms; gentlemen only; private family.

WASHINGTON, 3404—Large, airy, front room, 4 windows; hot bath, gas, $3 week.

WASHINGTON, 3520—Neatly furnished rooms; gas and bath. (74)

WASHINGTON, 2640—Front room; gas and bath; very reasonable.

WASHINGTON, 2943—Large 2d-story pleasant front or back rooms; southern exposure; reasonable. $25 each; Forest 5342.

WASHINGTON, 2822—Two cool rooms for six girls or young men; light housekeeping; 75c per week.

WASHINGTON, 1414—Furnished rooms for $1.25 per week and up; light housekeeping; cheap.

WASHINGTON, 3114—Neatly furnished rooms; hot bath; convenient for downtown cars; terms reasonable. (80)

WASHINGTON, 2826—Nice cool front rooms; 3 large windows; kept nice and clean; hot bath; pleasant, home-like place; all convs.

WASHINGTON BL., 4406—Nicely furnished rooms 1 or 2 gentlemen, private family; phone Forest 2225. (4)

WASHINGTON, 1627—Second-floor front room, $3; back rooms, $1.75 and up; light housekeeping.

WASHINGTON, 1508—Large front parlor, housekeeping or gentlemen, $3; 3d-floor front $2.50 per week. (5)

WASHINGTON BL., 3903—Newly decorated health furnished 2d-floor front; also other rooms; conveniences; reasonable. (5)

WASHINGTON BL., 3941—Newly decorated and furnished rooms for gentlemen. In a refined home; convenient to three car lines; reasonable. (7)

WEST BELLE PL., 4052—Very desirable furnished room; modern; reasonable.

WEST BELLE PL., 3871—One, two or three clean unfurnished rooms, bath; respectable neighborhood.

WEST BELLE PL., 3941—Superior connecting housekeeping rooms; separate entrance; follet; also 3d-floor front; southern exposure; phone; newly furnished.

WEST BELLE PL., 4324—Large southern-exposed rooms; gentlemen or housekeeping privileges; bath. (4)

WESTMINSTER PL., 4106—Elegant room, fine; is furnished; for a gentleman at summer rates; bath, electric lights and all modern conveniences. (7)

WEST PINE BL., 3822—Large second-story front, suitable for 3 gentlemen or couple. (5)

WINDSOR PL., 3637—Nicely furnished large front room in private family; very reasonable; hot bath; convenient to all cars. (7)

FOR COLORED PEOPLE.

BEAUMONT, 620 N.—Furnished second-story front room; rent reasonable; to colored people.

BERNARD, 2621—Two unfurnished rooms, colored people; no children; call after 6 p. m.

LAWTON, 2916—Furnished or unfurnished rooms for colored.

MORGAN, 2657—Neatly furnished rooms for colored; hot and cold bath.

TWENTY-SECOND, 217 S.—Nicely furnished room for respectable colored people; reasonable. C. M. Gude (4)

WAGNER, 6304—Two rear unfurnished rooms for colored people; $6 month.

WALNUT, 2222—Two rooms furnished or unfurnished.

ROOMS WITH BOARD—CITY.

BARTMER, 3343—2d-floor front room; southern exposure; board; reasonable.

BLAINE, 3068—Rooms and board; private. (44)

BOARD—Wanted by lady small child to board; good home; girl preferred. Ad. L 151, Post-Dispatch.

CABANNE, 5419—A neat, excellently furnished room with fine table; shade trees. Phone Forest 5877.

CASS, 3036—Large, clean front room, gentlemen or couple, with good home cooking; reasonable.

COOK, 4316—Beautiful second-floor front room, first-class board; all conveniences. (5)

COOK, 3730—Two elegantly furnished rooms, with or without board; newly decorated. (4)

COOK, 3685—Beautiful rooms for gentlemen; excellent board; phone Lindell 3590. (6)

COOK, 4004—Nice front room, with excellent board, in private family. (5)

COOK, 4267—Beautiful southern-exposure room, with board; other rooms; day boarders accommodated. (7)

DELMAR BL., 4270—First-class rooms and board. (1)

DELMAR BL., 4381—Nicely furnished rooms; good board, for 1 or couple; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 4611—Large 2d-story front room; private family; good home board. (6)

DELMAR BL., 5731—Nice room and board for only $15 per month.

DELMAR BL., 4421—Pleasant room for two gentlemen in private family; home cooking; reasonable.

DELMAR BL., 4224—Beautiful rooms with board; everything first-class; all home comforts; very reasonable. (4)

DELMAR BL., 4121—Cool rooms, nicely furnished; good board; phone; conveniences; references required. (1)

DELMAR BL., 4215—Nicely furnished cool rooms, private family; home cooking; reasonable to parties employed. (4)

DELMAR BL., 3961—Delightful front so. ex. rooms, strictly first-class board; reasonable; telephone. (7)

DELMAR BL., 3836—Cheerful, comfortable rooms, with board; modern conveniences; reasonable; private. (56)

DELMAR, 4114—Elegantly furnished room by widow; phone Lindell 2468; board optional; gentlemen.

DELMAR BL., 4422—Nicely furnished room, good board, where your tastes will be observed.

DELMAR BL., 4241—Newly furnished well-ventilated rooms with board for gentlemen or couples; also single room; references.

DELMAR BL., 3942—Room with board; southern exposure; seat, cozy; all conveniences; Lindell 1370; reasonable. (3)

DELMAR BL., 5183-5—Elegant 2d-story front south rooms, single or en suite, with bath and phone; high-grade table; special rates to young people; best car service. (4)

EASTON, 3055—Nicely furnished room, with or without board.

EIGHTEENTH, 1422 S.—One block from Lafayette Park; furnished second-story front room with board for two gentlemen, gas, bath.

EUCLID, 406 N. (Linden Apartments)—Rooms with connected bath; good board; both phones.

EUCLID, 724—Furnished second-story front and connecting rooms, with board; gas, bath, parlor, piano, all conveniences; phone Forest 5881.

EUCLID, 1357—Front room, suitable 2 gentlemen; all conveniences; private family; board if desired; reasonable. (5)

EVANS, 4023A—Best board, with room, bath, gas, phone. $5. Kinloch Delmar 3295X.

FAIRMOUNT, 5163—Handsome room, single gentlemen, also large room front, south exposure; first-class table; private family of Suburban cars. (58)

HOUSES, ROOMS, FLATS—WANTED.

FLAT Wtd.—3 or 4 rooms, near Lafayette Park. Ad. T 84, Pst-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—Three rooms in nice neighborhood. Ad. T 85, Post-Dispatch.

FLAT Wtd.—By 3 adults; flat of 3 or 4 rooms; reasonable rent. Ad. T 38, P.-D.

HOUSE OR FLAT Wtd.—3-room dwelling or flat with yard, gas, water and near car line and public school; location, price and conveniences or no attention. Ad. R 118, Post-Dispatch. (4)

ROOMS Wtd.—1 or 2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, convenient to Busch Glass Works. Ad. O 100, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM Wtd.—Nice room, first or second floor; about $3 week, by two young men. Ad. T 34, Post-Dispatch.

ROOM Wtd.—Two or three unfurnished rooms, west of Belt, vicinity of Easton; couple. Ad. O 357, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS Wtd.—One or two furnished rooms with use of kitchen for light meals; nice neighborhood; state price. Ad. L 129, P.-D

ROOM Wtd.—By working man, single furnished room in strictly private family; bath preferred; no roommate; state price. Ad. T 7, Post-Dispatch.

ROOMS Wtd.—Room in private family, by young man; must be west of Grand avenue and private; boarding house barred. Ad. A 59, Post-Dispatch. (4)

FURNISHED HOUSES FOR RENT.

FURNISHED HOUSE—Washington bl., handsomely furnished 10-room dwelling; modern and up to date in every respect; will lease for a term of years. McKernan & Mosby, 1014 Chestnut st. (6)

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For Sale—Wanted

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE.

STATUARY, ETC.—I have at Brighton, Ill., statuary and art goods, composed of onyx, marble, one Barbella (life size), one stone divan, two chairs, two round tables, all elegantly carved; no other on earth like them; all came direct from Italy; these goods belong to the estate of Mrs. Ellen M. Hume and must be sold to settle the estate; if you are interested in this, call at Brighton and see them. Address for next two weeks, T. J. Rigg, Brighton, or call on W. Goodell, Brighton, Ill. (4)

SUITCASE, ETC.—If in need of a suitcase, trunk or telescope, you can purchase one for $1 upwards; all leather suitcases, $3.50, at Jaeger Loan and Jewelry Co., 2615-17 Olive st. (92)

TOOLS—For sale, tinner's tools. 3505 Cass.

WATER COOLERS—C. (barrel), 3-gal., $3.50; 5-gal., $5.50; 10-gal. $7.50. Pl. the only sanitary cooler made. Wm. Plank Hdw. Co., 1530 Olive st. (8)

BATH TUBS, ETC.—For sale, bath tubs, closets, lavatories; all kinds plumbing material. Wrecking Co., 1701 N. Grand av.

BEST place for paints, white lead, varnishes, etc., Paint Co., 814 Manchester. (8)

BRICK, ETC.—For sale, brick and lumber. Apply 2700 S. Main st. (8)

BUILDING BLOCK MACHINES—For sale, hollow concrete building block machines, making hard, damp-proof building blocks. Abel Machine Co., 800 Chestnut st. (62)

CARPENTERS' TOOLS—Everything we sell warranted, and if not satisfactory can be returned; we carry the most complete line. W. H. Hahn, 1530 Olive st. (6)

CASH REGISTERS—For sale, two new cash registers; less than half cost. Apply 2500 N. Jefferson av.

CASH REGISTERS—We buy, sell and repair cash registers. We have some excellent bargains; see us before buying and save money. American Second-Hand Cash Register Co., 1009 Pine st., phones Kin. B328, Bell Olive 355.

CHAIRS, ETC.—For sale, second-hand chairs, tables, cigar fixtures, stools, etc. Union Station Restaurant. (6)

DAIRYMEN ATTENTION—For sale at Meramec Highlands Dairies, cream separator, aerators, 8-gallon shipping cans; all second-hand, but in good order. Apply there, John Dreyer, Supt.

DISPLAY FIXTURES, chandeliers and lamps, copper, brass and tin specialties, also nickel-silver and brass plating, polishing, lacquering and repairing. Electro Depositing and Mfg. Co., 708-712 N. 22d st.

EXCELSIOR Floor and Mixed Paints, $1 per gal. at Wm. H. Hahn's, 1530 Olive st. Tel. M1867. (6)

FANS—For sale, 3 Crescent ceiling fans. Cook Bros., 3200 Lawton.

FURNACE—For sale, new Front Rank furnace; 2 pipes, 11 registers, 3834 Olive st. (7)

GERSTENDORFER'S ENAMELS, gold bronze, aluminum and varnish stains for furniture, floors and all interior work. At Wm. H. Hahn's, 1530 Olive st. (6)

GO-CART—For sale, elegant go-cart; nearly new; cost $30; will sell for $10. 3538 Hallidy.

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HAMMOCKS—Big line of sample hammocks, 50c on the dollar. Harrington, 715 N. 7th.(8)

ICEBOXES, ETC.—For sale, iceboxes, slightly used, $2 up; gas ranges, $5 up; wardrobes, $2.50 up, cash or easy payments. 2221 Olive st. (8)

LAWN MOWERS—Pennsylvania make, 12-in., $4; 14-inch, $4.50; 16-inch, $5; garden hose, 50 feet, $5, warranted. Tel. M. 1867. (6)

MASSAGE MACHINE—For sale, Barker massage machine; nearly new. Call or write 705 Missouri Trust Bldg.

MR. ENGINE BUYER—Let us send you the names of 3000 satisfied users of Wiite gasoline engines. Wiite Iron Works Co., 342 West 5th st., Kansas City, Mo.

NEW and second-hand billiard and pool tables, cloth and balls. A. E. Schmidt, 328 Market st. (62)

OFFICE and store fixtures bought and sold. Max Merinbaum, N. 7th st., C 2010. (8)

POOL and billiard tables for sale or rent; new and second hand; cash or time. J. L. Fowler, 1219 Cass. Phone Kin. 529D. (62)

SAFES—Overstocked with second-hand safes; buy now. John Baumann Safe Co., 413 Washington av. (60)

SAFE—For sale, comparatively new skeleton safe, 36 in. high, 44 in. wide, 20 in. deep; also other office furniture. Write or call. Lanyon Zinc Co., 606 Carleton Bldg. Telephone Main 1370. (5)

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SMOKELESS SHELLS, 50c box; Colts and Smith & Wesson revolvers, $5 up. Harrington, 715 N. 7th st. (62)

SOME of the things we will sell you for $1 down, $1 per week—a diamond ring, a diamond stud, a high-grade watch, a chain or fob, a bracelet or anything in jewelry; prices the same as cash stores.

J. F. DAILEY & CO.,
Second floor, 604 Washington av. (8)

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

A SPECIAL price paid for gents' old clothing, shoes, feathers; send postal; will call; or call at store. Yatkeman, 2309 Market. (14)

A SPECIAL price paid for ladies and gents' old clothes, suits, overcoats, $2 and $3; shoes, 50c up; feathers, 45c. D1383, Main 4612; postal, Gilbert, 1419 Carr st. (8)

ABSOLUTELY highest price paid for ladies' and gents' old clothing, Kin. C1660. Blumenfeld, 917 N. 15th st. (8)

BARGAINS in evening and street dresses, highest prices paid for ladies' and gents' cast-off clothing. Mrs. Miller, 607 Walnut st. A 215; Main 470. (85)

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TABLE CLOTHS, ETC.—Wtd.—Table cloths and napkins. Box 247, Valley Park, Mo. (6)

NICKEL PLATING

Also gold, silver, brass and copper plating; specializing oxidizing and lacquering; reasonable rates. DEGGE & MUSICK, 717-719 Market st. (68)

SHIPPERS

Ship your poultry, eggs and calves to Maurer Meat and Provision Co., 8 and 10 S. Jefferson av. We pay 1c per lb. over daily quotations on poultry and calves; no commission charged. (62)

THE BOOK EXCHANGE.

BOOKS bought, sold or exchanged; catalogue free. Linahan Book Co., 321 Market st. (8)

BOOKS of all kinds bought and sold; call or send address to Mills' Book Store, 407 Chestnut st. (8)

BOOKS—For sale, Encyclopedia Brittanica, new; 31 volumes; cost $60; sell $25; call or address Leffler, 3 Benton terrace.

ENCYCLOPEDIA—For sale, cheap, a fine 6-volume encyclopedia of applied electricity. L. H., 2221 Carr st. (6)

$1 BOOK for 10c; Mercantile History of St. Louis, World's Fair, etc., illustrated, for 10c. Crawford's Book Store, 4th and Chestnut. (6)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS FOR SALE

BED—For sale, bed, antique, solid mahogany, hand carved, high posts; cost $100; for $25; stoves, etc. 1964 Arlington av. (6)

BED, ETC.—For sale, elegant bed, lamp, ornaments, chair, dining room set and rug. 3951 McPherson.

BED—For sale, iron folding bed, full size; good condition; very cheap. Ad. 3939A Shenandoah av.

BEDS, ETC.—For sale, 75 heavy iron beds, springs and mattresses, in use two months; cost $15; sell for $7.50; easy payments. 3221 Olive st. (8)

BEDROOM SUIT—Would like to sell one bedroom suit; only used a short time. Call in evening at 1920 East Grand av. O. M. Henry.

CHAIR—For sale, large, genuine leather chair; cost $50; sell $25; used 2 months. 4187 Washington.

CHILD'S BED, ETC.—For sale, child's bed, complete; 2 large mattresses; mattress for baby's bed; folding go-cart; all very cheap. 5133 Fairmount.

COUCH—For sale, bed couch, leather covering, with hair mattress, $16; never used; cost $40. 4187 Washington.

COUCH—For sale, leather couch, almost new, cost $40; sell $15; big bargain to buyer. 4187 Washington.

FURNITURE—For sale, carload of misfit carpets, rugs, linoleum, oilcloths and furniture left for storage; will sell at any price. 1402 Biddle.

FURNITURE moved or packed for shipment; 900 storage rooms; work guaranteed; see our big stove store, the largest, best and cheapest in St. Louis. New York Storage Co., 22d and Wash sts. (61)

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PEOPLE who want to buy any kind of furniture, pianos, rugs, etc., and buy right, will surely find it to their advantage to visit the second floor of our salesrooms, 1219-21 Olive st. R. U. LEONORI A. & S. CO. (8)

RANGE—For sale, Quick Meal combination coal and gas range, cost $125; sell for $40. 5221 Olive st. (5)

RANGE, ETC.—For sale, $5 gas range, one refrigerator; good condition; $3. 26 N. Sarah av.

RANGE—For sale, nice gasoline range; cost $25; used one month; sell for $10. 3316 Franklin av. (4)

RUGS, ETC.—For sale, Axminster and velvet rugs, 9x12; small rugs, brass beds, mahogany dressers, odd dressers, chiffoniers, bookcases, books, pictures, lace curtains, bric-a-brac, sideboard, buffet, extension table, leather-seat dining chairs, beautiful parlor suit, odd chairs, rockers, tables, leather library suit, cabinet hallstree and other furnishings; all almost new; a good opportunity for parties going to housekeeping to purchase a nice lot of goods separately at a great sacrifice; my piano, bought few months ago for $500, will sacrifice for less than $200; all must be seen to be appreciated. Call day or evening, 3805 Delmar bl. (4)

SPECIAL sale of furniture, carpets and stoves; for a short time we will sell a complete assortment of above goods for cash or credit at prices that will astound you. Here are a few of our prices: Iron beds, full size, $1.25; iron beds, brass trimmed, $1.98; massive iron beds, $4.25; oak dressers, $4.98; elegant, large mirror dresser, in solid oak, $9; extension tables, 6-ft. long, $3.98; elegant heavy French leg extension tables, $6.98; oak sideboards, $9.98; elegant heavily carved and nicely finished sideboards, a regular $25 article, for $18; 2-burner gasoline stoves, the $2.25 kind, for $1.75; large, elegant, large, nicely finished refrigerators, $9.98; smaller ones as low as $4.98; oak dining chairs, high back, cane seat, as low as 75c; rockers, an elegant assortment; prices commence at 89c; lace curtains from 45c up; reversible room size rugs, good quality, $3.98; Brussels rugs, size 9x12 feet, $9.95, and a complete assortment of Brussels and Axminster rugs at extremely low prices. Mellis, 823 Franklin av. (60)

BARGAINS IN HOUSE FURNISHINGS

AT OUR WAREHOUSE, 1219-21 SPRUCE ST.
Bedroom suits, $8; iron beds, full size, $1.40; large wood beds, $1; woven wire springs, 75c; cotton-top mattresses, 90c; wardrobes, $5; upright folding beds, with best woven-wire springs, brass plate glass, $12.40; mantel folding beds, $5.40; brace arm rocker, $1.23; gas ranges, $40; gas water heaters, $2; feather pillows, pair, 50c; Brussels carpets and 9x12 ingrain carpets, $4.20; Brussels room rugs, $9.20; ingrain room rugs, $2.60; China matting, 10c yard; shades, 10c; white granite tea pots, 10c; plated tea set, 98c. Call on time payments. H. WALKER FURNITURE CO.
Ring call bell for admittance. (62)

Western Salvage Co.

We are headquarters for slightly used and new furniture. We have for sale this week the contents of 4 residences, 8 flats and several large job lots of furniture, which we bought for less than 40 cents on the dollar. Fine brass beds, $15 up; fancy chairs and rockers, $1 up; fine upholstered furniture, iron springs, $6.50 up; good felt mattresses, $5.95; mirror front wardrobes, fine weathered oak dining room sets, new and 2d-hand Brussels and Axminster rugs, $6 up; iron beds, 60c up; linoleum and everything you can think of in the furniture and carpet line; 5 slightly used pianos. 2004 Morgan st.
1231 St. 399. (55)

FURNISHED HOUSES. FLATS.

FURNISHED FLAT—Will sell well-furnished flat; Chestnut, cash or time. 1012 Locust st., over plumbing shop. (6)

FURNISHED FLAT—For sale, 5-room flat, newly furnished; cheap for cash or part payments. Ad. R 156, Post-Dispatch. (4)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS WANTED.

ABSOLUTELY best prices paid for household goods, contents houses, flats and stores. Dickson, 2944 Washington. B1369, Beaumont 43.

ALL KINDS of furniture, carpets, stoves, highest prices; send postal. Bensinger, 1702 Franklin. Kinloch telephone B1841. (14)

BEST price for furniture, carpets and feathers. DIGBY, Belmont 807, Prosser, 3221 Olive. (8)

CASH paid for furniture, carpets, pianos, contents of residences or stock in stores. Wolf, 512 N. Channing. A1600; Bomont 2083. (14)

FEATHER BEDS Wtd.—Old feather beds, pay $3 to $17. Drop postal S. Batavia, 3121 Thomas st.

FEATHER PILLOW CO. pays highest cash price for old feathers. 1111 S. Jefferson. (3)

FURNITURE Wtd.—Cash for furniture of small flat; give price; full particulars. Ad. T 87, Post-Dispatch.

FURNITURE, ETC.—Mr. Damson pays a suitable price for old furniture, carpets, feathers, clothing, shoes. Send postal to 811 N. 11th st.; will call.

HIGHEST value paid for feathers; honest dealings. M. Speelman, 1820 Wash; send postal.(5)

HOUSEHOLD GOODS Wtd.—Of all kinds; highest price paid. Ad. A 61, P.-D. (89)

SPOT CASH for household goods and merchandise; auction sales made at residences and stores a specialty. Western Salvage and Auction Co., 2004 Morgan; tel. Beaumont 390 and D231. (8)

WANTED—To buy household goods; highest price; large or small lots; Stoecker & Price, 2005 Morgan. Phones 2071D, Bomont 685. (8)

WANTED—We pay highest prices for household furniture, stocks in store; also entire contents of flats and residences; don't sell unless you see us; send postal to D. McCann, Leonori Auction Co., 1219 Olive st. (8)

TYPEWRITERS.

FOR bargains in all typewriters, address THE TYPEWRITER EXCHANGE, 208 N. 9th st., St. Louis, Mo. (8)

TYPEWRITER—For sale, Densmore, good as new, cheap. 1416 S. 3d st.

TYPEWRITER—For sale, Smith Premier typewriter; used very little. Call 705 Missouri Trust Bldg.

POULTRY AND BIRDS.

CHICKENS—For sale, newly hatched baby chicks; send for circular. Meadow Brook Hatchery, Georgetown, Ill.

EGGS—For sale, R. C. Brown Leghorn eggs, $1 per setting; heavy layers. Phone Delmar 3312R, 4050 Labadie av.

EGGS—For sale, eggs, at Old Orchard Squab Farm, Old Orchard, Mo.; Buff Plymouth Rock, Brown and White Leghorns, Buff Cochin, at $1 for 15. Take Sarah at Meramec Highlands car; come, see stock; no finer squab farm; largest in State; visitors welcome. R. M. Adams. Bell phone 252 Webster.

PIGEONS—For sale, high-grade Plymouth Rock homers, $1 pair; squabs, $4 per dozen; at Old Orchard Squab Farm, Old Orchard, Mo. R. M. Adams. Bell phone 252 Webster. (62)

BICYCLES.

BICYCLE—For sale, new and modern bicycle, cheap. Apply 2024 N. Newstead av. (4)

BICYCLE TIRES—For sale, high-grade bicycle tires, worth $5, will sell pair for $3.50. 828 N. Broadway. (6)

MACHINERY.

FOR SALE.

MOTORS—For sale, electric motors, 1-10 to 100-horsepower, any voltage. W. F. Ghiselin & Co., 621 Chestnut st.; both phones. (8)

SAFES.

SAFES—New and second-hand; sold easy payments. J. Baum Safe and Lock Co., 1027 Chestnut st. (62)

HORSES AND VEHICLES.

PASTURAGE.

PASTURAGE—Will pasture and stable good saddle horse for his use. Ad. R 103, P.-D.

PASTURAGE—Fine bluegrass pasture, fine spring running water, well shaded, large barn and stables, at Old Orchard Squab Farm, located in Old Orchard, northwest corner Drummond's Farm, Lacleede rd.; horses $3 per month. R. M. Adams. Bell phone 252 Webster. (62)

FOR SALE.

ALWAYS ON HAND—From 75 to 100 head of draft, driving and general purpose horses, wagons of all kinds, buggies and harness; you can try horses before buying; must be as represented; cash or easy payments. ES. L. House, 4472 Clayton av. (8)

BUGGIES, ETC.—Bargains in storm buggies, surreys, park, grocer, baker, butcher, laundry, milk, peddler, carpenter and light cigar advertising wagons; also truck spring stake wagons. N. R. Schuster, 1625-29 Salisbury. (92)

BUGGIES ETC.—For sale, reliable storm buggies, peddling, grocer, baker, butcher, laundry, milk, carpenter, painter, whitener, plasterer, plumber, tinner, platform, top wagons and truck spring stake wagons; $55 to $225. John Tobinka, 1400-02-04-06 N. 7th st. (15)

BUGGY—For sale, storm buggy in good condition, very cheap. 4922 Lincoln.

BUGGY, ETC.—For sale, one rubber-tired storm buggy and runabout, at 1515 N. Grand av.

BUGGY—For sale, handsome, hand-made storm buggy; rubber tired and electric side lamps; will sell reasonable. Apply 918 N. 20th st, Puritania Food Co. (5)

HARNESS—For sale, buggy harness, for $18; brass mounted; cost new $65. Apply for Prufrock harness, care of Honig's stable, 718 N. King's highway. (5)

HORSE—For sale, horse, 3600 Natural Bridge.

HORSES—A fine lot of nice horses for city use at Wolfort's, 1539 N. Broadway. (62)

HORSES—For sale, 5 good work horses and mares, at your own price. 1621 Franklin.

HORSES—For sale, large horse, $75; 5-year-old mare, $75; 2 cheap horses. 6345 Etzel.

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, young horse and rubber-tired storm buggy; bargain. Wessels Stable, Ohio and Cherokee. (4)

HORSE—For sale, stylish driving horse, bay, 6 years old; city broke, sound; for want of use, sell reasonable. 6413 New Manchester.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, bargain; big work horse, $60; delivery horse, $75; dirt wagon, harness; cheap; no dealers. 2543 Madison.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, team of horses; wagon with coal bed, and harness. 2126 Randolph.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, big team of horses, dirt wagon and harness; $160. 3318 Minnesota av.

HORSES—For sale, 2 farm mares, 3 large horses, 1 small horse. Coal yard, 2634 Morgan st.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, fine pair of black horses, bay mare and rubber-tired runabout. 2206 Morgan st.

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, delivery horse, sound, $55; top wagon and harness, $17.50. 1517½ N. 9th st.

HORSE—For sale, an extra good, 5-year-old; 15½ hands high, 1100 pounds; black; for storm buggy or surrey; city broke; lady can drive. 6112 Virginia av. (4)

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, sound horse, harness, macadam wagon, $125; call today; will separate. 4661 Manchester.

HORSES—For sale, four work horses and one nice, gentle driving horse; lady can drive. 1832 Hogan st.

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, large strong work horse, $25; good puller; small mule, $15. 3231 S. 7th.

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, good large work horse and drop-top buggy; must sell; cheap. 4068 Cora Bridlington.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, draft teams, delivery horses, dirt wagon, harness; selling out. 1530 Wash st.

HORSE, ETC.—For sale, good, big delivery horse; new harness and wagon; all for $85; must sell; leaving city. 4570 Easton.

HORSE—For sale, chestnut sorrel horse, 16 hands high; sound, good worker single or double; $85. 3053 Dickson.

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, 14 reliable mares and horses, various sizes, $10 to $100; 3 good teams, wagons and harness; guarantee given. Kinloch Co. stables, 806 S. 7th st.

HORSE—For sale, fine delivery horse, weight 1300 pounds; lady can drive; a bargain if sold at once. Call 2621 N. 10th st., or 1113 Franklin av. (8)

HORSES, ETC.—For sale, one team horses, $95; also one mule, $75; now this stock can be seen at work out here on my farm, W. A. Kincaid, Windsor P. O. (4)

HORSES, ETC.—One express horse, good flesh, $45; one horse, $30; single and double harness; one-horse stake wagon; cheap. 2927 Chouteau av.

MARE, ETC.—For sale, fine, gentle black mare, harness, sweet spotted colt; sell reasonable; owner leaving city, will sell at sacrifice. Call 3538 Hallidy.

MULES, ETC.—For sale, 300 head mules, mares and horses. Maher Sale Stables, 1023 N. Broadway. (56)

PARK WAGON—For sale, a park wagon; newly painted; first-class condition; cheap. 4981 Natural Bridge rd.

PONY, ETC.—For sale, cheap, pony, storm buggy, harness and runabout; your own price. John Ward, Scott and Taylor, camp.

RUNABOUT, ETC.—For sale, new runabout, horse and harness; very cheap. Miss Ali. 1713 Morgan.

SPECIAL AUCTION SALE—150 high-class driving and saddle horses; several well-matched teams, rigs of all kinds; also harness. Friday, at 10 a.m., and Saturday afternoon and evening; sale commences at 2 and 8 p. m.; horses can be seen or bought privately any time before sale. Foster & Fear, Olive and Garrison.

STORM BUGGY—For sale, up-to-date, all remodeled; $150. Apply 918 N. 20th st. Puritania Food Co. (5)

SURREY—For sale, platform surrey with pole, rubber tires and full leather; bargain. Inquire 1901 State, Granite City, Ill.

SURREY—For sale, rubber-tired surrey in good condition; $115. Lafayette Park Livery Stable, 1615 Lafayette av. (5)

TRAP—For sale, rubber-tired trap; cost $325; sell $125; good as new. 3319 Laclede.

WAGON—For sale, 1-horse covered spring wagon; cheap. 3526 Page.

WAGONS—For sale, three stake wagons. 1436 Blair av. (3)

WAGON—For sale, station wagon; rubber tired; glass all around; light and good as new. 5596 Bartmer av., after 6 p. m.

WAGON, ETC.—For sale, dirt wagon, team of large horses and harness. Call after 5 p. m.; steady job. 3423 Clark.

Genuine Columbia Surreys and

Runabouts. A full line of high-grade surreys, runabouts, phaetons and stanhopes.
DEEDS & MANLEY,
121-127 S. 7th st., opposite Elm. (8)

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Storm buggies, runabouts, surreys, traps, stanhopes, business wagons and harness. Fancy driving specialties; rubber tires. Phones: Bell, Olive 820; Kinloch, Delmar 820. (92)

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See them; all new goods at wholesale prices.
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Full line of surreys, roadsters, storm buggies, top buggies and delivery wagons; get our prices. (92)

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A large line of open and panel-top delivery wagons for grocers, butchers, bakers, carpenters, plumbers and tinners.
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AUTOMOBILE—For sale, 2837 Dickson. (4)

AUTOMOBILE—For sale, automobile; fine condition; seat 5; must sell. Call 1512 Olive.

AUTOMOBILES inspected for buyers; repairs supervised; expert advice. Percival Jones, electric, mechanical engineer, 810 Olive st.

AUTOCAR—4-cylinder 1905 model, side door, looks and runs like a new machine, swell looking, up-to-date car; cost $2000; price $1200. Phoenix Auto Supply Co., 3932 Olive. A. L. Dyke, manager. (16)

BIG BARGAINS: $1000 Cadillac for $650; Gilde, $250; Murray runabout, $250; Union Friction Drive, $550; Ford touring car, $450; Monarch runabout, $375. Union Auto. Co., 4001 Olive st. (8)

RUNABOUT—For sale, gasoline runabout, perfect condition, $200; will demonstrate; leaving city. 3310 Bell av.

ST. LOUIS, 3-cylinder, 30-h.-p., side-door, bevel drive, with top, tires all new but one, 1900 model; cost $2100; without exaggeration this car is the best hill climber in city; strong, powerful; best bargain we've had for years; price $550; call and see it. Phoenix Auto Supply Co., 3932 Olive, A. L. Dyke, manager. (16)

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Slightly used Wintons, Nationals, Franklins, Packards, Peerless, Stevens Duryea, Bates, Wolverine, National Electric.

FROM $100 AND UPWARDS
Reyburn Motor Car Co.,
5023-29 Delmar Boul. (8)

SEWING MACHINES.

ALL makes of sewing machines, $3 to $20; guaranteed; repairs at your home, $1; needles and parts, D. G. Sheridan, 816 N. 6th st. (8)

BARGAINS in high-grade machines, Singers, W. & W.'s, Domestics, White's, New Homes and New Yorks, all drop heads; only $21.50 this week. Machines rented, $2.00 per month; all makes repaired for $1.00, guaranteed. Special this week: Needles, 15c per dozen. Open evenings. New Home Sewing Machine Parlors, 1210 Franklin; Kin. D 972; Main 2778. (6)

BRAND NEW Singers and Wheeler & Wilsons, $2 per month; prompt delivery; guaranteed; liberal discounts for cash; liberal allowances for old machines; 50 good second-hand machines, on easy payments. D264, Olive 295, McClay's, 1113 Franklin. (8)

HIGH-ARM MACHINES, $2 up; rent machines 50c week; repairing reasonable. 2902 Easton av. (62)

REMOVAL SALE—Will sell all makes of new sewing machines at half-price to save expense of moving to our new store, 723 Franklin av. S. W. Allright, now at 1011 Franklin. Bell Olive 701, Kinloch C328. (62)

SEWING MACHINES—For sale, 16 Wheeler & Wilson machines, office fixtures, tables, 3-horsepower motor; good for manufacturing; write at once. Ad. N 110, Post-Dis. (7)

SEWING MACHINES sold at cut prices this week; Domestic, $25; New Home, $25; all three machines are drophead and are guaranteed for 5 years; Wilcox & Gibbs at $25; all machines slightly used from $3 to $15; all makes of machines repaired for $1; parts for all machines. H. Minges, 1525 S. Broadway. Kin. B301; Sidney 996. (92)

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DOORS, ETC.—For sale, old doors, sash, office fixtures, etc., at 3015 Lucas. (7)

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SUBURBAN PROP'TY FOR SALE

HOUSES—For sale, suburban houses and lots a specialty. Al T. Smith, Old Orchard, Mo. (8)

HOUSE, ETC.—For sale, 6-room house and 4 acres, in Kirkwood, a suburb of St. Louis; stable, chicken houses, fruit, etc.
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LAND—For sale, 7 acres, $600 an acre; worth $1000 an acre; Natural Terrace Station, Creve Coeur Lake line. Call 2215 Olive. (6)

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For sale, my elegant residence in Ferguson; 8 large rooms, upper and lower reception halls, 14x14 feet, fine closets, pantry, southern exposure, front and rear stairs; rooms light and airy; sink in kitchen; electric lights and city water in street; fine cistern, good dry cellar, two entrances; beautiful front veranda, large rear porch; lot 86x150; beautiful blue grass lawn, large maple trees; bearing fruit trees, fine shrubbery, good walks and driveway; this property in finest residence district; one block public and high school; half block Suburban cars; convenient to churches; two blocks from Postoffice; stores and Wabash depot, going both to Union Station and Olive st.; fare 10c; fine walks all over town; this house built on plan of an $8000 house, in thorough repair; newly decorated inside and out; worth any time $4500; must be sold before 20th at this price, $8000—$1500 cash, or will accept $1000 cash and $500 in well-secured notes, and balance deed of trust, $1500, runs three years; can be paid off if desired; take through Olive, Easton or Suburban cars to Suburban Park, then Ferguson car; get off at Tiffin av., walk half block west, third house on left-hand side; call any day or Sunday. All furniture for sale.

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COTTAGE—For sale, pretty 6-room brick cottage; hall, bath, gas; good neighborhood; going at sacrifice; $2800. See owner, 5329 Minerva av.; phone Forest 4436. (8)

HOUSE—For sale, 3623 Locust st., great bargain for quick sale; large, substantially built house; 50-foot lot.

HOUSE—For sale, new 7-room house; bath, water, electric light; telephone Kinloch Delmar 3258L. (5)

HOUSE—For sale, 9-room house, West End; good condition and location; owner, Ad. H 3, Post-Dispatch. (7)

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WIFE ATTACKS HER DEFENDERS

Young Men Whip Her Husband in Crowd on Olive Street.

HE WAS BEATING HER

When Passers-by Intervene She Scratches Their Faces and Hands.

This is a story without names. It has an al fresco setting. The scene is the corner of Twelfth and Olive streets; the time about 10 p. m. Wednesday. The principals were a wife-beater, the wife and two young men. The audience was composed of shopkeepers from the vicinity and roller skaters coming from the Exposition Building.

The little play was very quick in action, its three acts taking less than a quarter of an hour.

Mr. Wife-beater and his wife were walking west along Olive street. Every once in a while he emphasized his words to his helpmeet with a dig in the side or a slap in the face. Loud words and an occasional blow of the fist also helped.

A crowd gathered and followed the pair as they quarreled. Occasionally an onlooker demanded that the man let the wife alone, but this was only met by a glare from the man, followed by a threatening movement of the fist as if ready for a fight, and the forward onlooker usually shut up. Thus passed act No. 1.

Act No. 2 had its setting at the corner of the alley just west of Twelfth street. The pair was forced to stop here by the crowd, which almost hemmed them in. The two young men also make their appearance. They were walking along Olive street and stopped to see what the trouble was.

Mr. Wifebeater, encouraged by the unresisting attitude of the woman and noninterference of the crowd, offered to whip any one or two men in the crowd.

Act No. 3 is full of strenuousness. Mr. Wife-beater, to show his pugnacity and valor, made a wild lunge into the crowd, with the result that the sidewalk was cleared in the twinkling of an eye. The only three persons left in his way were the two young men and his wife.

Apparently he had done all that he could for his wife. He struck with his right for the head of one of the young men, missed, but hit his companion. Then a wild scramble took place. That first lunge the man made was the only blow of the fight he delivered. He was quickly downed by the two young men, who pommeled him about the face and head.

Beaten Wife Interferes.

The crowd reassembled and such cries as "Serves him right, "Give it to him good" and "Give them room" filled the air, giving encouragement to the combatants.

At this stage the woman reappeared in the case. With cries of "O, Frank, run away," "Let me get at them," she dashed at the three men, who were wrestling on the sidewalk, the two young men sitting astride Mr. Wifebeater.

The women's nails played an important part in settling the contest. Scratching clawing at the pair on top of her husband, she quickly displaced them, and while he was putting himself to rights and straightening his clothes she held the two men at bay and then walked off with her husband at her side.

All through the fight the man was yelling that the woman was his wife and that he had a right to beat her.

COULD NOT IDENTIFY.

Woman Accuser Unable to Say Doughnuts Were Her Own.

Mrs. Mary Calloway's inability to identify her own doughnuts made fruitless her prosecution of two young men, whom she accused of stealing them. Mrs. Calloway conducts a confectionery and bakery at 205 North Fifteenth street.

Charles Hogan and John Powers were arraigned Thursday in the Court of Criminal Correction on the charge of taking 18 doughnuts from Mrs. Calloway's place. The arresting policeman testified that he had caught them eating the doughnuts. Most of them were gone, but the remainder were taken into court as evidence. The young men said they had bought them at another place.

"Are you sure you made these doughnuts?" Judge Moore asked Mrs. Calloway.

Mrs. Calloway took a doughnut, inspected it carefully, broke it open, tasted it, took another and squinted through the hole, looked perplexed and turned to the Judge.

"I can't be sure," she said. "Doughnuts are so much alike, you know."

"The case is dismissed," said Judge Moore.

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WARSHIP ST. LOUIS BREAKS RECORD

In Test Makes Best Time Ever Made by a Protected Cruiser.

ROCKLAND, Me., May 17.—The protected cruiser St. Louis started from the harbor today in a rainstorm with the intention of making the four-hours' endurance run between Monhegan and Cape Ann.

There was a slight northeast breeze. The cruiser is required by contract to sustain an average of 22 knots an hour on this run.

Yesterday the St. Louis established a new record for the protected cruiser class on her trial trip over the Rockland (Me.) course. She went her mile over the measured course at a rate of 22.34 knots an hour. Her contract requirement was 22 knots.

This is the best ever done by any protected cruiser. The sea was smooth as glass and the machinery worked perfectly. After her run, the St. Louis received a satisfactory anchor test.

On board is Commander Nathaniel T. Usher, U. S. N., who will command the St. Louis; Lieutenant-Commander R. F. Hutchinson and Lieut. W. B. Wells, who are to be her executive officer and chief engineer, respectively.

25 1-2 POUNDS FOR $1.

Best Eastern Gran. Sugar, leads the city! So do 25½ pounds of our French Coffee, $1. Three pounds of our 50-cent Tea for $1. Sugar sold with $1 other goods. George Cousins Tea Co., Sixth and Market streets. Kinloch B 1345; Bell Main 2552.

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If you cannot come during the day the Doctor will be at the store Saturday night and Sunday morning.

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Bay Rum; genuine West India, in full 8-oz. glass stopper bottles..... 35c

Violet Water; San Remo or Bayard's; regular $1.00 bottles..... 48c

De Lacy's Skin Soap; the best general soap for every purpose made; 10c; box of 8 cakes..... 28c

AT OUR SODA FOUNTAIN

Our Ice Cream Soda and Nut Sundaes, with pure fruit flavors, simply make your mouth water..... 5c

Take home a brick of our Neopolitan Ice Cream; quart brick..... 32c

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For children, ladies or gents; all the popular makes at cut price; the Knickerbocker Brace, one of the best medium-priced Braces made... 75c

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OIL TRUST PRESS AGENT GETS BUSY

Replies to Charges Made in Roosevelt's Message to Congress.

NEW YORK, May 17.—For the second time in its history, so far as the memory of Wall Street runs, the Standard Oil Co. has given out a detailed statement to its stockholders. The statement was in effect a reply to the charges made by President Roosevelt against the Standard Oil Co. in his special message to Congress on May 4.

The Standard Oil statement was in phamphlet form and was virtually an address of the directors to the shareholders. It was handed out to the newspaper men by J. I. C. Clarke, the press agent of the Oil trust. The report takes up the charges of Commissioner Garfield and makes specific denial of them in turn. It covers about the same ground as did the reply of Messrs. Archbold and Rogers, issued directly after the President's message was made public.

In regard to the charge of the President and Mr. Garfield that the savings of the Standard Oil through rebates amounted to $750,000 a year, the statement declares that there was no statement by which these two officials could arrive at such a conclusion except by "theorizing."

The report concludes:

"After an investigation of about 15 years over more than 200,000 miles of railway, the Commissioner is not able to show that the Standard Oil Company received a single rebate on its interstate shipments. The company owns and controls only a very moderate percentage of the crude oil production of the United States, and with at least 125 rival refineries in existence, it is a palpable absurdity to call it a monopoly."

Training School Benefit.

There will be a strawberry feast for the benefit of the Women's Training School next Tuesday from 2 to 5 p. m., and from 8 to 11 p. m., at Anchor Hall, Park and Jefferson avenues.

AETNA'S FUNDS WERE USED TO DEFEAT BRYAN

Fire Insurance Company's President Admits Gift to Republican Committee.

THINKS IT JUSTIFIABLE

Nebraskan's Election Would Have Been a "Calamity," He Declares.

SCANDAL IN EQUITABLE

Charge Campaign Contributions Offered for a Favorable Surplus Decision.

By Wire From the Washington Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, May 17.—Senator Bulkeley of Connecticut, who is also president of the Aetna Fire Insurance Co., admitted today that he had contributed $5000 of the funds of that company to the Republican campaign fund of 1896 to defeat William J. Bryan.

"It might just as easily have given $20,000," Senator Bulkeley said, "but what the company did give is not a flea bite in comparison to what I personally contributed."

Senator Bulkeley was before the Committee on Judiciary in connection with the Ames bill to regulate insurance in the District of Columbia.

"Do you think that action upon your part contributing the trust funds of your company to the campaign committee," asked Mr. De Armond, "was justifiable, honest or decent?"

"I contend," Senator Bulkeley said, "that every custodian of funds of this character is justified and within his right when he takes that money and applies it to the protection of the rights of the people. I considered that the election of Mr. Bryan would have been a calamity."

Mr. De Armond said he would like to inquire into the standard of morals which he sets up to justify such a contention.

Senator Bulkeley repeated his assertion that he thought he was justified in using the funds of the company in this way, and added further that in his opinion the party having the most money would win.

"Did you contribute to the Democratic party when it was successful?" asked Mr. De Armond. He said he did not.

"Do you not think the election of 1896 was bought?"

"I do not," Senator Bulkeley said.

Mr. DeArmond then wanted to know what, in the Senator's opinion, had become of the vast fund which the Republican committee had raised that year. Senator Bulkeley said he believed it had been "legitimately spent." This produced a laugh in which the Senator himself joined.

He went on to say that he justified his action in making this contribution to the Republican campaign fund on the ground of public expediency in the same manner in which he justified his contribution of $5000 from the company's funds to the San Francisco sufferers recently. He said he did not fear criticism for doing anything which he thought proper, and that he gave the money in the performance of his duty, as he thought.

"This is a new philosophy of insurance of which I am glad to hear," Mr. De Armond said. "There are some people who get so powerful in the financial world that they do not fear to go in boldly where others would not dare to do."

"If you gentlemen of the House of Representatives," replied Senator Bulkeley, "who handle and disburse millions of the people's money, disburse it as honestly as money is handled by the insurance companies of the country, you need have no fear of going before your constituents."

The hearing will be continued.

WISCONSIN PROBES EQUITABLE SCANDAL.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 17.—Charges of campaign contributions offered in return for a favorable decision in the case of the division of the Equitable Life Assurance Society's surplus have split the La Follette camp in twain.

A legislative committee, investigating the operations of insurance companies in Wisconsin, today heard Insurance Commissioner Zeno M. Host, one of La Follette's administration, accuse another of the same administration, Secretary of State Walter Houser, of offering him the $2000.

Secretary Houser answered this charge, saying he had offered Host a slip of paper on the date mentioned, but did not know what it was and had not made any offer of money.

He said, however, that Zeno M. Host, during the same campaign, had willingly acquiesced in a plan to ask the big insurance companies for contributions to be used in defeating Congressman Joseph W. Babcock, a member of the anti-La Follette wing of the Republican party, but that after Host had acceded to this plan Houser had decided that it would be bad politics and vetoed the proposition.

Secretary Houser went further. He intimated in plain terms that the Host change was part of a political conspiracy, in which he was to be defeated for renomination.

That Secretary Houser of the State Department was the man through whom the New York Life secured some information was one of the points made by Insurance Commissioner Host in his charge against Houser yesterday. Houser secured Host's brief, which was being used against the Equitable and other New York companies in the surplus distribution cases, and Host appeared in court to argue the case. He found the attorney for the New York Life using his own brief against him. Houser, it was charged, had secured the brief on the statement that he wanted it for Senator Frear, who was handling insurance legislation.

Couple Weds on "Tick."

Although they were married on credit at Edwardsville, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Christian of Alton Thursday declared that they will not seek credit again. Christian and Miss Georgia Hazelwood started for Edwardsville to wed, the husband-to-be thinking that he had a considerable sum of money in his pocket. After fares and marriage license had been paid for, Christian found that he had only 50 cents left, so they explained the situation to Judge Hillskotter, who married them on credit.

Two St. Louis Sopranos to Sing at Alps Concert Next Sunday

MISS JULIA BRUER, SOPRANO OF KELLOGG-HAINES QUARTET.

Julia Bruer and Grace Van Studdiford on Same Program—Midweek Notes.

Miss Julia Bruer of St. Louis, the soprano of the Kellogg-Haines Quartet, which will be heard at the Alps next week, beginning Sunday, is well known in local musical circles. She has a voice of great purity and considerable range, and the numbers selected for the program in which she is to appear are said to suit it admirably.

Because of the fact that Grace Van Studdiford has also consented to sing a farewell number at the Alps next Sunday, that popular summer resort will be enabled to present two St. Louis sopranos in one program, and a comparison of Miss Bruer's voice with that of the more famous St. Louis prima donna is expected to be interesting. It is promised that the Alps program for next week will be of unusual attractiveness.

Midweek Amusement Notes.

One of the most marvelous accomplishments in the business of taking moving pictures is to be seen at the Olympic during the week beginning with next Sunday's matinee.

A reproduction, complete in every detail, of the terrible calamity at San Francisco, taken on the the ground by skillful operators during the progress of the calamity, has given to the world the most wonderful set of views of any historical event that have ever been secured. The plant of the Edisco Motion Picture Co., which is exhibiting the views throughout the country, luckily escaped destruction from the quake, and the result will be seen in a truthful story in moving pictures of one of the greatest catastrophes in history.

Miss Nellie Stewart in "Sweet Nell of Old Drury" is now at the Olympic.

The annual terpsichorean social event at the Century Theater Friday night and Saturday matinee, May 25 and 26, will be the usual success, according to all indications. Mr. Jacob Mahler has the entertainment in charge. He is now training 40 little children in various songs and dances. The costumes will be of rare elegance and are being made especially for this event. The demand for boxes has always been heavy, boxes having been reserved by Mrs. H. S. Priest, Mrs. S. J. Harbaugh, Mrs. W. K. Pixley, Mrs. C. A. White, Mrs. A. Waldheim, Mrs. George J. Kobusch and Mrs. H. L. Parker.

Genuine regret at the lateness of Louis Mann's and Clara Lipman's coming to the Garrick this season is pressed by many of the regular patrons of the house. A show like Miss Lipman's "Julie Bonbon," they say, should have been booked earlier in the year so as to afford patrons the added comfort of seasonable weather. Nevertheless, the parlor-house is not unduly warm, because the building is protected on three sides against the sun and has the coolness of a cavern at night. The expressions of the Mann and Lipman audience this week are all to the effect that "Julie Bonbon" affords most genuine theatrical amusement. It is a consistent comedy of present day manners, customs and affairs.

David Kessler and Samuel Thornberg are the leading players of the Thalia Theater Yiddish company, which is to appear at the Grand Opera House for a limited engement of three nights, commencing Monday, May 21. The plays to be presented here are as follows: Monday evening, "The Russian Jew in America," a comedy of Yiddish-American life, five acts, by Jacob Gordon; Tuesday evening, "The Charlatan," a drama in four acts by the same author; Wednesday evening, "Menashe," a play of Yiddish life in Roumania, by the great Roumania author, Roneti Roman. The company has been praised by press and public in every city where it has appeared.

Ernest Hogan in "Rufus Rastus" is at the Grand this week.

The cool Imperial Theater announces a return engagement of Oscar Dane for next Sunday matinee and week in the well-remembered day matinee and week in the well-remembered domestic drama, "East Lynne," which will be preceded by "Ye Golden Past," a one-act romantic comedy. Mr. Dane's new version of "East Lynne" is considered his masterpiece, and his splendid company will be environed by a complete scenic production. Mr. Dane will appear in the play as the poor, starving French musician. He will be supported by Katherine Tabor in the dual role of "Lady Isabelle" and "Madame Vane," and the full strength of his company.

Billy Kersands' Minstrels are the Imperial attraction this week.

"As Told in the Hills" will be the attraction at Havlin's Theater Sunday matinee and week, with Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday matinees, with Miss Emily Gale in the leading role. It is said to be something entirely new in the field of melodrama. The plot is original, both in its conception and development, and the characters clearly drawn, and extremely interesting in their naturalness. The character of Pannneco, the young Indian princess, is played by Miss Gale in a manner that for cleverness and artistic ability is said to be fully equal to her work in "The Moonshiner's Daughter," in which she starred for the last three seasons. Miss Gale is supported by an excellent company.

"Scotty, King of the Desert Mine," is the current attraction at Havlin's.

The Empire Burlesquers will open for a week's engagement at the Standard commencing with matinee next Sunday. In the personnel of the "Empire Burlesquers" there are a number of favorites who make the most of the laughable situations that are the predominating features of the show. Not the least of these is Roger Imhof, who makes some funny hits as "Casey" in "Casey and the Green Sod Club;" there will be a series of specialties by Imhof, Conn and Corinne, in their new act entitled, "The Fruits of Retreir new act entitled, "The Fruits of Retreir new act entitled, "The Fruits of Retreir